
XVI. *Descriptions of the new Genera and Species of the Class
Compositæ belonging to the Floras of Peru, Mexico, and Chile.*
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THE extensive herbaria formed in Peru, Quito, and Chile, by Ruiz, Pavon, and Tafalla, and the Mexican collections of Sessè and Mociño, having by fortunate circumstances come into the possession of Aylmer Bourke Lambert, Esq., whose unwearied zeal in the advancement of botanical science is already well known, I have thought that a description of the *Compositæ*, which form an important part of these collections, might not prove unacceptable to the Linnean Society. Perhaps no people have made greater sacrifices for science than the Spanish nation. Her expeditions and voyages of discovery were fitted out on a most munificent and extensive scale; but unfortunately, the results of them have in but few instances been given to the scientific world. Don Hipolito Ruiz and Don José Pavon, accompanied by two draftsmen, were charged with the botanical mission to Peru in 1777, which lasted eleven years; and their labours were afterwards continued by Don Juan Tafalla, a distinguished pupil of Ruiz, and formerly Professor of Botany at Lima, whose investigations were also extended to the province of Quito, and the fertile district of Guayaquil. Don Martin Sessè, Don Josef Mociño, and Don Vincente Cervantes, were charged with a similar mission to Mexico in the

year 1788 ; but the botanical expedition for the purpose of exploring the vegetable riches of New Granada, under the direction of the celebrated Mutis, was organized on a much more extensive plan. From these several expeditions there has resulted an immense mass of materials, the greater part of which still remain unpublished, although many years have elapsed since their collection. The whole of the manuscripts belonging to the Peruvian expedition, having also come into Mr. Lambert's hands, I have been enabled to render the descriptions in some cases much more complete, and to add many circumstances relative to particular species, that could not have been ascertained from an inspection of the dried samples, which, however, are very perfect, and in most instances there are several duplicates of each species. Notwithstanding the labours of Humboldt and Bonpland, whose numerous discoveries have already been given to the world by my learned friend M. Kunth, through whose liberality, while at Paris in the autumn of 1821, I was permitted to examine a considerable part of the *Compositæ* contained in the herbarium of M. de Humboldt ; a very small proportion of the species in this collection are identically the same with those I am about to describe.

I have been successful in determining many of the *Compositæ* figured in the work of Hernandez ; and to the kindness of my inestimable friend Professor Lagasca I am indebted for pointing out to me the various genera which he himself has described. A small collection from Don Pablo de la Llave has made me acquainted with the genera described in the “*Descriptiones Novorum Vegetabilium.*” I have inserted a few species from other sources, partly with a view to point out their relative affinities, and more fully to illustrate the characters of certain groups ; but although I may differ widely in regard to the generic distribution of the species, the trivial names given to them

them by their discoverers, if not previously applied to other species, I have scrupulously preserved. In the distribution of the species, and in the formation of the generic divisions, I have followed the comprehensive views of Mr. Brown and M. Cassini, whose important labours in this class are universally admitted: and having myself been engaged for several years studying this department of botany,—of which very few have had so extensive opportunities,—the characters of the groups which I shall have to propose in the sequel, may, therefore, with more confidence be relied on. In order to render the divisions more intelligible, I shall in the first place proceed to give a descriptive character of the class itself.

COMPOSITÆ. *Adans., Brown.*

FLORES sæpiùs hermaphroditi, capitati, toro proprio inserti, sessiles, involucro è squamis (folia mutata) sæpè plurimis inclusi.

CALYX ovario arctè adhærens: *margo obsoletus v. elevatus*, plerumque scissus, aut in pappum formâ varium abeuns, nunc (in *Zinniâ*) corollam æmulans!

COROLLA monopetala, tubulosa, limbo 5-fida (rarò 4-fida), aestivatione valvata! laciniis 2 v. 3 connatis nunc bilabiata, aut latere interiore longitudinaliter rupta, explanata, ligulæ-formis: *nervis primariis laciniis alternantibus*!

STAMINA corollæ laciniis numero æqualia, iisdemque alterna: *filamenta libera v. partim aut omnino corollæ tubo adhaerentia*, prope apicem articulata! *articulo superiore persæpè dissimili*: *antheræ biloculares*: loculis parallelis, longitudinaliter dehiscentibus: *valvulis inæqualibus*; *interiore angustissimâ*; basi truncatis v. decurrentibus, aut productis, apice in appendiculam planam confluentibus.

PISTILLUM:

PISTILLUM: *ovarium inferum, indehiscens: disco epigyno: ovulo erecto, solitario, funiculis 2 pistillaribus manifestis suspenso: stylus ex duobus conflatus, indivisus: stigmata 2, saepius soluta, patentia.*

FRUCTUS (Achenium): *pericarpium indehiscens, monospermum.*

SEMEN: *testa duplex; exterior coriacea v. crustacea; interior membranacea, vascularis, vasis propriis et spiralibus instructa: albumen nullum.*

EMBRYO dicotyledoneus, erectus, seminis cavitati conformis: *cotyledones oblongae: radicula his persæpè brevior, obtusa, centripeta.*

Plantæ polymorphæ in orbis temperatis vulgatissimæ.

The *Compositæ* constitute the most extensive and the most interesting portion of the vegetable kingdom; and their distribution is so universal, that they form a large proportion of the Flora of almost every country: but countries traversed by extensive mountain-chains, and situate within or near the tropics, are found to be most favourable to the development of the plants of this class: for in the Floras of Peru, Chile, and Mexico, they appear to constitute a sixth part of the whole phænogamous vegetation; and this estimate of their number is justified by an actual comparison both of the published and unpublished plants of these countries.

The *Compositæ* are related on the one hand to *Calyceræ*, *Dipsacæ*, and *Valerianæ*; and on the other to *Campanulaceæ* and *Goodenoviæ*; but the disposition of the primary vessels in the corolla essentially distinguish them from every other family. The plurality of styles, the inferior monospermous ovary, and the presence of an epigynous disk, show at least a considerable degree of analogy, if not of affinity, to the *Umbelliferæ*,
to

to whose mode of inflorescence that of *Compositæ* may be compared. Singular instances of monstrosity are sometimes to be observed in *Tragopogon*, *Scorzonera*, &c., wherein the capitula have assumed the form of the compound umbel. I have already had an opportunity of showing that the other parts of fructification in this class frequently experience a remarkable degree of increase in number, and that the stigmata are generally unaffected by the number of the other parts of the flower.

I have now to state an interesting example of reduction of stamens in *Calliopsis bicolor*, a genus widely different from *Dahlia* and *Coreopsis*, with which it has been hitherto associated. In this genus most of the florets of the capitulum are quadrifid and tetrandrous; and, besides the primary vessels, there are others which occupy singly the axis of two or three of the laciniæ, but in no instance all of them. These secondary vessels evidently arise from the base, and not from the confluence of the primary trunks, as they become fainter near the apex of the laciniæ; and I am disposed to believe, that in many instances the secondary vessels take their rise with the primary trunks.

I have distributed the groups in accordance with their natural affinities, at least as far as this was practicable in a linear series: for the families appear evidently to return into each other, exhibiting a number of points of contact.

Fam. 1. CICHORACEÆ. Juss.

FLOSCULI ligulati, hermaphroditæ, uniformes: *ligula* apice 5-dentata, 6-nervia: *nervis* rectis, parallelis, parùm infra dentium sinus furcatis

ANTHERÆ cristâ membranaceâ pellucidâ coronatæ, basi bisetæ (setis dentibusve membranaceis) s. ligulâ simplici truncatâ auctæ.

STIGMATA libera, filiformia v. semicylindrica, obtusa, papillosa.

ACHENIA

ACHENIA nunc apice calva.

Plantæ lactescentes. Folia alterna. Flores sæpiùs lutei.

This family constitutes but a very small part of the *Compositæ* in the South American Flora, being scarcely in the proportion of one to forty-five, while in the European Flora they are generally as one to two. The *Cichoraceæ* are readily distinguished from the other families of *Compositæ* by their uniform, ligulate, hermaphrodite florets. The primary vessels are five in the tube, but at the sinus, wherè the corolla splits open and expands into the ligulate lamina, the interior nerve divides into two simple branches, which run along the opposite sides, either directly on the margin itself, or more frequently placed a little within the border. The apparently simple trunks of the intermediate vessels divide a little below the sinus of the teeth, and traverse their margins, uniting at the summit of each tooth; but I have only in one instance, that of *Prenanthes virgata* of Michaux, detected secondary vessels, and therefore conclude that they are rarely present in the plants of this family. The disposition of the vessels in the lamina of the corolla will be found an important character in distinguishing the *Cichoraceæ* from such individuals belonging to other families, whose florets may have assumed an analogous form.

Besides being lactescent, the alternate leaves, their nervation, and the inequality of their teeth, when present, the irregularity of the corolla in *Lobelia*, the cohesion of its antheræ, and its papillary stigmata, show that many analogies exist between this family and *Campanulaceæ*.

Trib. 1. **HIERACEÆ.** *Receptaculum* epaleatum. *Antheræ* basi interiore ligulâ simplici membranacâ truncatâ auctæ! *Involucrum* polyphyllum.

HIERACIUM.

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HIERACII SP., L.

Involucrum iinbricatum. *Receptaculum* subfavosum. *Achenia* apice simplicia. *Pappi radiis* simplici ordine copiosis, persistentibus, setaceo-pilosus.

Involucrum multiplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum: *squamis* saepius adpressis. *Receptaculum* subfavosum: *scrobiculis* margine elevatis, ciliato-laceris. *Flosculi* plurimi: *fauce* extus barbatâ. *Antheræ* appendiculâ oblongâ diaphanâ coronatæ, basi interiore ligulâ membranaceâ truncatâ saepius lacerâ instructæ. *Stigmata* semicylindrica, obtusa, recurvata, cum dimidio superiore styli papilloso-hispidula. *Achenia* tetragona, apice simplicia: *angulis* sulcatis, laevibus. *Pappi radiis* singulo ordine digestis, copiosis, pilosis, rigidis, fragilibus, persistentibus, denticulis plurimis exasperatis, basi distinctis.

Herbæ polymorphæ, radice perenni. Flores lutei, solitarii v. corybos, Pappus cinereo-fulvellus.

1. *H. strigosum*, pilosum; foliis linear-lanceolatis acutis denticulatis; caulinis sessilibus, paniculâ racemosâ, caule simplici fistuloso.

Hieracium hirsutum. *Herb. S. et M.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno. 4.*

Planta strigosa, pilis copiosis, longis, patulis vestita, hispidula. *Caulis* erectus, cubitalis, filiformis, simplex, fistulosus. *Folia radicalia* petiolata, palmaria, lanceolata, acuta, mucronulo obtuso, remotè denticulata, membranacea, viridia, subtus pallidiora, basi attenuata; *caulina* sessilia, linear-lanceolata, 3—4-pollicaria, nunc spithamæa. *Panicula* racemosa,

strigosa, multiflora, spithamæa. *Flores H. cymosi*, citrini. *Pedunculi*, ut et *involucra*, pube copiosissimâ pilis glanduliferis interstinctâ vestiti; *inferiores* remotissimi. *Involucrum* nigricans, cylindricum: *squamis* triplici ordine imbricatis, pluribus (18—26), linearibus, obtusis, planis, adpressis, margine membranaceis; *intimis* subæqualibus. *Receptaculum* subfavosum. *Flosculi* involucrum longitudine æquantes, apice dentibus 5, linearibus, obtusis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ lanceolatâ, acutâ! membranacea coronatæ, basi interiore ligulâ exiguâ linearî truncatâ instructæ. *Stigmata* semicylindrica, obtusa, minutè papillosa. *Achenia* tetragona, sulcata, glabra, apice simplicia. *Pappus* pilosus, persistens, fulvellus: *radiis* duplici serie digestis, rigidis, denticulato-scabris.

2. *H. Lagopus*, villosissimum; foliis lanceolatis subintegerimis glaucis, caule ramoso multifloro nudiusculo, ligulis 5-fidis.

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno*. 4.

Herba facie *H. cerinthoides*, paulò tamen minor, similiter cæspitosa et glauca. *Caulis* pedalis, erectus, teres, flexuosus, folio uno altero tantum ornatus, inde nudiusculus, infernè villosissimus. *Folia radicalia* petiolata, lanceolata, acuta, remotè denticulata, membranacea, utrinque villosa, demùm nudiuscula evadunt, basi attenuata, tripollicaria; *caulina* paucissima, multò minora, amplexicaulia, acuminate. *Petioli* ut et *Cauda*, qui ad leporis pedem non paulò refert, villis longis sericeis, exsiccatione aureis, copiosissimis vestiti. *Flores* laxè paniculati, citrini. *Pedunculi* filiformes, uniflori, pollicares. *Involucrum* cum *pedunculis*, tomento copioso glandulisque pedicellatis numerosissimis ornatum: *squamis* linearibus, acutis, multiplici ordine imbricatis,

bricatis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* leviter favosum, scabrum. *Flosculi* plurimi, ligulati, apice profundè 5-dentati, involucro multoties longiorès: *lacinias* linearibus, obtusis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ ovatâ acutâ! membranaceâ coronatæ, basi ligulâ linearî, truncatâ instructæ. *Stigmata* semicylindrica, obtusa, minutè papillosa. *Achenia* tetragona, sulcata, glabra. *Pappus* pilosus, persistens, cinereus; fragilis: *radiis* simplici serie digestis, contiguis, rigidis, denticulis exasperatis.

I have already proposed* to separate certain species hitherto referred to *Hieracium*, and characterized by their flat, attenuated achenia surmounted by a dilated epigynous disk, and by their soft capillary pappus disposed in a double series. This group, which I have named *Hapalostephium*, comprises *Hieracium paludosum* and *pyrenaicum* of Linnæus, the *Hieracium macrophyllum* of Pursh, and the *Crepis Sibirica* of Linnaeus. M. de La Peyrouse has referred the *H. pyrenaicum* to his *Lepicaune*, an unnatural assemblage, which, independent of the faulty name, deserves to be erased from the catalogue of genera. By the removal of these species, and the *Hieracium aureum* and *fruticosum* of authors, which do not even belong to the same tribe, the genus, although still very extensive, will scarcely admit of further division. The *Hieracium pusillum* of Pursh from Labrador I have ascertained by an examination of an authentic specimen to belong to the genus *Erigeron* of authors. The crest of the anthers in most of the species of this genus is obtuse; but in the two above described, and in *Hieracium murorum*, it is acute.

Trib. 2. HYPOCHÆRIDEÆ. *Receptaculum* paleis distinctis refertum. *Antheræ* basi bidentatæ. *Pappus* persistens. *Involucrum* polyphyllum.

* *Prod. Fl. Nep.* p. 165. *Edinb. New Phil. Journ.* April 1829, p. 307.

O REOPHILA.

HYPOTHÆRIDIS SP., Kunth.

Pappus plumosus, sessilis. *Involucrum* imbricatum.

Involucrum subrotundum, polyphyllum, imbricatum: *squamis* lanceolatis, obtusis, membranaceis; *exterioribus* apice luginosis. *Receptaculum* paleatum: *paleis* lanceolatis, scarriosis, uninerviis, acumine longo, setaceo instructis. *Flosculi* linear-ligulati: *tubo* tenui, ligulâ 5-dentatâ, 6-nerviâ, duplò longiore. *Antheræ* appendiculâ ligulatâ, membranaceâ coronatæ, basi dentibus 2, lanceolatis, acuminatis, membranaceis, æqualibus munitæ. *Stigmata* filiformia, recurvata, minutissimè papillosa. *Achenia* oblonga, ancipiti-compressa, laevia. *Pappus* sessilis: *radiis* simplici serie contiguis, filamentoso-plumosis, validis, inæqualibus, basi crassiore persistentibus.

Herba perennis, cæspitosa, acaulis. Radix fusiformis, cortice fusco obducta, digitæ minoris crassitie. Folia numerosa, in orbem acta, humifusa, petiolata, linearia, tunc lanceolata, obtusa, obtusè sinuato-dentata, coriacea, suprà glabra, subtùs sed præcipue ad costam medianam pilosa, 2—3-pollicaria. Flos solitarius, sessilis, in foliorum medio latens, magnus, aureus. Pappus cinereus.

Herba locis alpinis incola, unde nomen ab opos, op eos, mons, et φιλεω, amo, i. e. planta in montibus florescens.

1. O. sessiliflora.

Hypothœris sessiliflora. Kunth in H. et B. Nov. Gen. et Sp. Pl. iv. p. 2.

In Peruviæ summis alpibus Cordilleras de los Andes Hispánicè dictis. Ruiz et Pavon. 4.

The uniform sessile pappus has led me to regard this plant as constituting

constituting a distinct genus, to which, it is very probable, the *Hypochæris sonchoïdes* of M. Kunth should also be referred. From *Hypochæris*, which must now be limited to *H. glabra* and *minima*, it will be necessary to separate *H. radicata* and *maculata*, essentially distinguished by having the pappus uniformly stipitate. This division, first proposed by Scopoli under the name of *Achyrophorus*, has been very properly adopted by Gærtner. The genus *Seriola* of Linnæus, the *Achyrophorus* of Vaillant, which also belongs to this family, is characterized by a simple polyphyllous involucrum, and by the rays of the pappus being dilated towards the base.

Trib. 3. LACTUCEÆ. *Receptaculum epaleatum. Antheræ basi bidentatæ. Pappus fugax, mollissimus, capillaceus.*

CHONDRILLA, L.

Involucrum simplici ordine polyphyllum, connivens, basi squamulis pluribus calyculatum. Receptaculum nudum. Achenia fusiformia, tuberculata. Pappus stipitatus.

Involucrum simplici ordine poly-(8—12)phyllum, cylindricum, connivens, basi squamulis pluribus (8—10) calyculatum : foliolis æqualibus, margine invicem se imbricatis. Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi indefiniti. Antheræ appendiculâ ligulatâ v. ovali diaphanâ coronatæ, basi acutè bidentatae. Stylus hispidulus. Stigmata semicylindrica, obtusa, brevia, crassiuscula, minutissimè papillosa. Achenia fusiformia, subtetragona, hinc convexa, inde sulcata, concaviuscula, supernè tuberculata, apice in stipitem longum filiformem producta. Discus epigynus depresso-capitatus ! Pappus fugax, tenuissimè capillaceus : radiis duplii ordine copiosissimis, basi solutis.

Herbæ foliis radicalibus sæpiùs runcinatis, floribus citrinis, pedunculatis.

Sect.

Sect. 2. *Involucri calyculo polyphyllo, linearis-setaceo, patulo.*
Flosculi numerosi. Herbae perennes, caulis nudiusculis, sub-
unifloris. Crinissa.

1. *C. pauciflora*, glabra; foliis runcinatis, caule subbifloro.
Chondrilla pauciflora. Herb. S. et M.
In Mexico. Sesse et Mocinno. 4.

Herba aspectu Apargiae, perennis, glabra. Radix fusiformis.
Caulis erectus, cubitalis, teres, simplex, uniflorus, subinde
ramo uno altero instructus, nudiusculus, hinc inde folio
minore ornatus. Folia radicalia patula, runcinato-pinnati-
fida, laevissima, viridia, 3-pollicaria, basi in petiolum atte-
nuata: lobis remotis, lanceolatis, acutis, integerrimis; cau-
lina inferiora radicalibus conformia; suprema in squamas
pinnatifidas abeuntia. Flores magnitudine Apargiae Tarax-
aci, solitarii, citrini. Involucrum simplici serie 12-phllum,
cylindraceum, glaucum, tenuissime pubescens, longitudine
unguiculare, basi squamis pluribus (8—10) linearis-setaceis,
patulis, apice nigricantibus munitum: foliolis linearibus,
membranaceis, sub apice tuberculo auctis. Receptaculum
nudum. Flosculi plurimi (30), ligulati, 5-dentati: ligula
6-nervia, involucrum longe superante. Antherae appendi-
culae ovali obtusa membranacea coronatae, basi acute bi-
denticulatae. Stigmata brevia, semicylindrica, obtusa, cum
styli apice minute papillosa. Achenia fusiformia, hinc ven-
tricosa, 4-sulcata, inde depressa, planiuscula, undique tu-
berculata. Discus epigynus apice annulo lanuginoso in-
structus. Pappus longe stipitatus, mollissimus, fulvellus:
radiis tenuissime capillaceis, dupli ordine copiosissimis,
confertis, longitudine inaequalibus, basi solutis.

2. *C. Sessæana*, glabra; foliis linearibus acuminatis subinteger-
rimis, caule unifloro.

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In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* 4.

Herba perennis, cæspitosa, glabra. *Radix* fusiformis. *Caules* plures ex eadem radice, erecti, spithamæi, filiformes, uniflori, laeves, folio unico, lanceolato, integerrimo, sessili ad medium v. paulò infrà, inde squamis aliquot linear-setaceis muniti, apicem versus pubescentes. *Folia radicalia* plurima, sessilia, linearia, acuminata, glabra, integerrima, v. nunc subruncinata, dentibus paucis, magnis, retrorsis instructa, 2—3-uncialia, sesquilineam lata. *Flores* citrini, parùm minores. *Involucrum* simplici serie 12-phyllum, cylindraceum, glaucum, tenuissimè pubescens, unguiculare, basi squamis pluribus (8—10) linear-setaceis, patulis, apice nigricantibus munitum: *foliolis* linearibus, membranaceis, sub apice tuberculo auctis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Ligulae* 5-dentatae, 6-nerviae, involucro ferè duplò longiores. *Antheræ* cristâ ovali membranaceâ coronatæ, basi bidenticulatae. *Stigmata* brevia, crassiuscula, linear-lingulata, pruinosa. *Achenia* matura nondùm vidi. *Pappus* omnino ut in præcedente.

The simple polyphyllous involucrum, independent of any other character, is alone sufficient to distinguish *Chondrilla* from *Lactuca*, its nearest ally. To the normal group of the genus, besides *Chondrilla juncea* of Linnæus, belong *Chondrilla latifolia* and *graminea* of the “*Flora Taurico-Caucasica*,” and a fourth species contained in the Pallasian herbarium, marked “*Prenanthes nova*,” and which possibly may prove to be the *Prenanthes aspera* of Schrader and Willdenow. It is very probable that *Chondrilla lœvigata* of Pursh may prove a third aberrant species of this genus, as the description appears to indicate an intimate affinity to *C. Sessæana* above described.

TRACHODES.

Involucrum imbricatum. Receptaculum lave. Achenia subfusiformia, transversè rugosissima. Pappus sessilis; radiis basi solutis.

Involucrum multiplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum, cylindraceum, tubulatum: squamis exterioribus ovatis, obtusis, margine scariosis; intimis 8, elongatis, linearis-ligulatis, conniventibus. Receptaculum lave. Flosculi indefiniti (20—24): ligulis 5-dentatis, 6-nerviis. Antheræ cristâ ovatâ acutâ! membranaceâ coronatæ, basi bidentatae. Stigmata semi-cylindrica, obtusa, cum apice styli papilloso-hispida! Achenia subfusiformia, tetragona, apice attenuato acutè quadrangulo, angulis prominulis, costisque solitariis v. binis insterinctis, rugis transversis elevatis scabra. Pappus sessilis, capillaceus, mollissimus, fugax: radiis triplici ordine digestis, basi solutis; intimis crassitie parùm dissimilibus.

Herba biennis, e viridi cærulescens. Caulis bipedalis, erectus, rigidus, paniculatè ramosus, teres, aculeis minutissimis scaber, basin versus purpureo-maculatus, vix calatum scriptorium crassitie adæquans. Folia radicalia vix spithamea, subsessilia, spathulata, sinuato-runcinata, mucronata, margine copiosè spinuloso-denticulata, pollicem v. sesquipollicem lata; caulina amplexicaulia, altius lobata: lobis triangulari-ovatis, acuminatis. Flores citrini? pedicellati, Lactucæ virosæ iis vix majores. Pedicelli squamis ovatis margine scariosis muniti. Pappus niveus. Nomen ad plantæ asperitatem refert, τραχωδης, scabrosus.

1. T. *paniculatus*.

Sonchus paniculatus. Herb. S. et M.

In Mexico Sesse et Mocinno. ♂.

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In *Sonchus* the rays of the pappus are united into bundles at the base, and the receptacle is rough and much dilated.

Trib. 4. SCORZONERÆ. *Receptaculum epaleatum. Antheræ basi bisetæ, appendiculâ exiguâ reniformi! coronatæ. Stigmata sæpiùs filiformia, papillosa. Involucrum simplex v. imbricatum.*

PICROSIA.

Involucrum 8-phyllum. *Ligulæ tridentatæ, 4-nerviæ! Pappus capillaris, stipitatus.*

Involucrum simplici serie 8-phyllum, cylindricum, basi omnino nudum : *foliolis* ligulatis, obtusis, margine invicem se imbricatis, planis. *Receptaculum* planum, nudum. *Flosculi* plurimi : *tubus* tenuissimus, filiformis ; *fauce* extùs villosiusculâ : *ligulâ* linearis, tridentatâ, 4-nerviâ. *Stamina* ferè omnino exserta : *filamenta* capillaria, libera : *antheræ* leviter coalitæ, basi bidenticulatæ, cristâ exiguâ brevissimâ coronatæ. *Stigmata* brevia, semicylindrica, obtusa, papilloso-pruinosa, arcuato-conniventia. *Achenia* fusiformia, sulcis plurimis longitudinaliter notata, glabra. *Pappus* longè stipitatus, capillaris, mollis, caducus : *radiis* dupli ordine confertis, scabriusculis, inæqualibus, basi solutis.

Herba perennis, lœvigata, glauca. Caulis erectus, pedalis, ramosus, teres, striatus, calamum scriptorium crassitie ferè adæquans. Rami paucissimi. Folia sessilia, lanceolata, integrerrima, nunc remotissimè dentata, palmaria v. spithamea, pollicem lata ; inferiora basin versus angustata, sublingulata ; superiora amplexicaulia, basi sagittata. Flores solitarii, pendunculati. Involucrum unciale, lœvissimum : foliolis apice puberulis. Flosculi lutei? tenues, involucro longiores. Pappus semipollicem longus, cinereo-fulvus. Nomen a πικρος, amarus.

1. P. *longifolia*.

Tragopogon sp. nova. Herb. R. et P.

In Peruviae alpibus. Ruiz et Pavon. 4.

There is no genus with which this can well be compared: it has the involucrum of *Tragopogon*, and in habit it resembles *Cynthia virginica**¹, the *Troximon virginicus* of Gærtner; but the structure of its pappus and florets removes it from every genus to which it bears any affinity. The *Scorzonereæ* are well distinguished from the rest of *Cichoraceæ* by the very short, reniform appendage surmounting the anthers; that organ in most of the other tribes having an oblong form. This interesting genus concludes the family of *Cichoraceæ*; and we shall now proceed to the consideration of the *Labiatifloræ*, which constitute a much more numerous and interesting portion of the collection.

Fam. 2. LABIATIFLORÆ. Dec. et Lag.

FLOSCULI difformes, plerumque tubulosi: limbo saepius bilabiatō-partito, multinervio.

ANTHERÆ appendiculâ cartilagineâ v. callosâ, plerumque elongatâ terminatæ, basi biaristatæ.

STIGMATA obtusa, papilloso-pruinosa, rariūs partim v. omnino connata.

ACHENIA pappo raro destituta.

Plantæ non lactescentes. Folia alterna. Flores saepius purpurei.

The *Labiatifloræ* were first proposed as a distinct group by Messrs. DeCandolle and Lagasca in the 19th volume of the "Annales du Muséum." Professor Lagasca having communicated to M. DeCandolle his remarks on this family, together with the essential characters of many new genera belonging to

* Edinb. New Phil. Journ. l. c. p. 309.

it,

it, the paper may therefore be considered as the joint production of these two distinguished botanists; but about the same period Professor Lagasca published at Orihuela a separate treatise on this family, which he therein denominates *Chænanthophoræ*, with the addition of a few more genera, and several of those occurring in the other memoir are there given under different names. The names comprised in the memoir inserted in the “*Annales du Muséum*” have however prevailed, from the more extensive circulation of the work, although the former has the right of priority by some months, as the latter occurs in the commencement of the nineteenth volume, which was published in 1812, the year after the separate treatise by Professor Lagasca had appeared. In the series of natural affinities the *Labiatiflora* form the connecting link between the *Cichoraceæ* and *Carduaceæ*; and although an exact definition of them is scarcely attainable, yet they appear to me sufficiently distinct to entitle them to rank as a separate family. Some botanists, however, have doubted of the propriety of this separation, and still think that they ought to be reunited to the other families of *Compositæ*; but it is unnecessary here to argue against such an opinion,—derived more, probably, from the works of others, than from actual observation,—as little investigation is requisite to see that by this reunion, the limits hitherto well-defined between the *Cichoraceæ* and *Carduaceæ* would be completely removed: and as no advantage whatever can be derived from this arrangement, it is certainly preferable to retain them as a distinct group, and more especially as they evidently have throughout a very marked affinity.

The *Labiatiflora*, with the exception of a few species chiefly belonging to the group *Perdiceæ*, are peculiar to the western hemisphere; and they constitute one fifth of the *Compositæ* of the South-American Flora, where they appear to occupy the

place of the *Cichoraceæ* of the Northern hemisphere, to whom they bear a striking analogy both in habit and structure ; but in the Chilian Flora, where this family is more especially abundant, they form nearly one-half of the whole class. I have ventured to give the descriptions of a few interesting species from Brazil belonging to this family, whose affinities seemed to justify their insertion in this memoir.

Trib. 1. *TRIXIDEÆ.* *Receptaculum epaleatum.* *Flosculi uniformes, bilabiati, hermaphroditi. Stigmata soluta, semi-cylindrica, truncata, papillosa. Plantæ sæpiùs fruticosæ, foliis integris.*

Sect. a. **PAPPO PILOSO.**

TRIXIS. *P. Br., Dec., Lag.*

PERDICII SP., L.

Receptaculum villosum. *Flosculi indefiniti. Involucrum æquale. Involucrum simplici v. duplici ordine poly-(5—16)phyllum, basi squamis paucissimis s. bracteis amplis munitum : foliolis subæqualibus.* *Receptaculum densè villosum.* *Flosculi indefiniti (5—25) hermaphroditi, bilabiati ; labio exteriore ligulato, patulo, tridenticulato, 4-nervio (nervis rectis, lateralibus longè intramarginalibus) ; interiore revoluto, bipartito : laciniis lineari-lanceolatis, binerviis, apice puberulis.* *Antheræ in tubum connatæ, basi bisetosæ (setis simplicibus) apice appendiculâ linearî lanceolatâ acutâ coriaceâ coronatæ.* *Stigmata semicylindrica, truncata, recurva, apice papillosa, nervo manifesto.* *Achenia subteretia, nunc compressiuscula, undique papilloso-scabra : disco epi-gyno concavo, parùm dilatato, margine elevato, calloso.* *Pappus capillaris, caducus : radiis duplici ordine copiosis, basi solutis, denticulato-scabris.*

Frutices

Frutices foliis indivisis, floribus terminalibus numerosis, albis aut luteis.

* *Involucri foliolis simplici serie dispositis.* Propriæ.

1. T. *cacalooides*, foliis petiolatis ellipticis subintegerrimis sericeis, involucro pentaphyllo : foliolis ligulatis obtusis flosculis brevioribus.

Perdicium cacalooides. Kunth in H. et B. Nov. Gen. et Sp.

Pl. 4. p. 154.

In Peruviâ. Ruiz et Pavon. 5.

Caulis fruticosus, erectus, ramosissimus, rigidus, cortice fuscescente obductus. *Ramuli* hirsuti. *Folia* petiolata, ex obovatâ ad ellipticam formam variantia, sed rariùs obovata, mucronulata, integerrima, nunc rariùs perparcè denticulata, utrinque sericeo-pubescentia, pollicem v. 2 pollices longa, è semipollicari ad unciam latitudine variantia. *Petioli* breves. *Flores* parvi, fasciculato-corymbosi, numerosissimi. *Pedicelli* sericeo-villosi. *Bracteoleæ* ad basin involucri subsolitariæ, angustè lineares, obtusæ, pubescentes. *Involucrum* pentaphyllum : *foliolis* ligulatis, obtusis, æquilibus. *Receptaculum* copiosè villosum. *Flosculi* pauci(5—7), hermaphroditi, bilabiati, lutei ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, obtusè tridenticulato ; *interiore* bipartito, revoluto : *lacinii* linearibus, obtusiusculis, apice barbulatis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearî obtusiusculâ terminatæ, basi bisetæ : *setis* simplicibus. *Stigma* bifidum : *lacinii* recurvatis, truncatis, minutè papillosum. *Achenia* linearia, compressa, minutè papilloso-scabra. *Pappus* capillaris, flavescentis, denticulis asper, caducus.

2. T. *calycina*, foliis petiolatis ovato-lanceolatis dentatis subtùs lanatis, involucro 10-phyllo : foliolis subulatis flosculis longioribus.

Perdicium

Perdicium calycinum. *Mart. MSS.*

In Bahiâ Brasiliensium. *Martius.* ½.

Frutex facie *Æthoniae fruticosæ**^{*}, erectus, rigidus, ramosissimus, fragilis. *Ramuli* teretes, undique villis copiosis glandulis minutis pedicellatis interstinctis vestiti. *Folia* alterna; petiolata, ovato-lanceolata, acuta, acutè dentata, tum dentibus approximatis subserrata, basi attenuata, subtùs copiosè villoso-lanata, suprà demùm nuda, viridia, bi- v. tripolligaria, semunciam v. ultra lata. *Corymbi* terminales, laxè divaricati. *Pedunculi* filiformes, minutè glandulosi, pollicares v. bipolligares, apicem versus crassiores, squamis aliquot (2—3) linearis-lanceolatis acuminatis muniti. *Involucrum* ferè *Kleiniae*, simplex, decaphyllum minutè glandulosum, basi bracteolâ angustissimâ instructum: *foliolis* linearis-subulatis, erectis, acutis, flosculis longioribus. *Receptaculum* copiosè villosum. *Flosculi* 10—12, hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* ligulato, patulo, acutè tridenticulato; *interiore* bipartito: *laciniis* linearis-lanceolatis, acutis, revolutis, apice imberibus. *Antheræ* basi longè biauriculatæ, appendiculâ linearis-lanceolatâ obtusiusculâ terminatæ. *Stigma* bipartitum: *laciniis* recurvatis, semicylindricis, apice truncatis, papilloso-puberulis. *Achenia* longa, teretiuscula, undique asperè papillosa, apicem versus paululùm angustiora. *Pappus* capillaris, cinereus, denticulis asper, caducus.

3. T. *corymbosa*, foliis petiolatis lanceolatis integerimis puberulis, involucro 8-phyllo: foliolis linearis-lanceolatis acutis.

Perdicium corybosum. *Herb. S. et M.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* ½.

Caulis lignosus, diffusè ramosissimus: *Rami* teretes, cortice striato cinereo-fusco obducti. *Folia* sparsa, petiolata, lan-

* *Edinb. New Phil. Journ.* l. c. p. 309.

ceolata,

ceolata, mucronata, margine integerrima, nunc plana, subinde reflexa, utrinque cum ramulis pube subtili vestita, subtus costâ prominulâ, reticulato-venosissima, membranacea, basi attenuata; sesqui- v. tripollicaria, semunciam v. paulò ultra lata. *Flores* lutei, copiosissimi, laxè corymbosi. *Pedunculi* pedicellique densè pubescentes. *Bracteæ inferiores* per pedunculos sparsæ, foliis conformes; *superiores* sensim minores; *supremis* linear-lanceolatis, acutis, basi attenuatis, margine revolutis, multò minoribus, involucrum munientibus. *Receptaculum* copiosè villosum. *Flosculi* 10—12, hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* ligulato, obtusè tridenticulato, patulo; *interiore* bipartito: *laciniis* linear-lanceolatis, revolutis, apice obtusis, barbulatis, marginibus primùm conglutinatis. *Antheræ* setis 2 capillaceis basi munite, apice appendiculâ linear acutiusculâ ipsius antheræ longitudine coronatæ. *Stigma* bipartitum: *laciniis* semi-teretibus, papilloso-pruinosis, apice truncatis, recurvis. *Achenia* teretia, minutè papillosa, et glandulosa. *Pappus* capillaris, flavescens, denticulis scaber, caducus.

** *Involucri squamis dupli ordine dispositis.*

4. *T. glutinosa*, foliis sessilibus oblongis integerrimis subtus lanatis, floribus corymbosis, involucri foliolis linear-lanceolatis coriaceis.

Perdicium brasiliense. *Mart. MSS.* non *L.*

In Brasiliæ provinciâ Minas Geraes vulgò dictâ. *Martius.* n.

Caulis fruticosus, erectus, ramosus. *Rami* teretes, cortice cinnamono obducti, pilis glandulisque copiosè ornati, viscosi, pennâ corvinâ vix crassiores. *Folia* alterna, sessilia, oblonga, v. linear-lanceolata, mucronulata, integerrima, coriacea, suprà gramineo-viridia, reticulato-venosa, parcè incumbenti-pilosa; glandulosa, et glutinosa, subtus copiosè cine-

reo-

reo-lanata, lanâ villoso-nunc lutescenti, sesqui- v. bipollucaria, semunciam lata. *Flores* corymbosi, magni, aurei. *Corymbus simplex*, terminalis pluri-(5—7)florus. *Pedunculi* robusti, uniflori, teretes, ut et *involucrum*, glandulis pedicellatis omnino induti, viscosissimi, foliolis aliquot (2—4) cæteris foliis simillimis, at perquam minoribus, instructi. *Involucrum* dupli ordine polyphyllum: *foliolis* linearilanceolatis, acutis, obtuse carinatis; prætereà *bracteolæ* paucæ, lanceolatae, acutæ, subtus tomentosæ, breviores. *Receptaculum* densè villosum. *Flosculi* numerosi, hermaproditi, tubo longo, limbo bilabiati: *labiis* revolutis; *exteriore* ligulato, obtuse 3-denticulato; *interiore* bipartito: *laciniis* lanceolato-linearibus, spiraliter convolutis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearilanceolatâ acutâ terminatæ, basi longè bisetæ: *setis* simplicibus, muticis. *Stigma* bifidum: *lobis* recurvis, semiteretibus, supra canaliculatis, apice truncato, papilloso-barbulato. *Achenia* subteretia longiuscula, undique papilloso-scabra. *Pappus* pilosus, niveus, denticulis scaber.

This is totally distinct from the *Perdicium brasiliense* of Linnaeus, as will hereafter appear.

5. T. *divaricata*, foliis lanceolatis acuminatis denticulatis basi auriculatis, floribus paniculatis, involuci foliolis lanceolatis membranaceis.

Perdicium divaricatum. Kunth in H. et B. Nov. Gen. et Sp. Pl. 4. p. 155. t. 355.

P. auriculatum. Bot. Mag. t. 2765.

In Peruviâ. Ruiz et Pavon. 5.

Caulis fruticosus, teres, flexuosus, ut videtur scandens, divaricato-ramosissimus, cortice fulvello pubescente indutus. *Folia* alterna, sessilia, lanceolata, acuminata, margine denticulis

ticulis plurimis perexiguis instructa, membranacea, deorsum attenuata, imâ basi auriculato-cordata, 3—5-pollicaria, latitudine pollicaria v. sesqui-pollicaria, suprà gramineo-viridia, nunc glabra, subtùs pallida, villosiuscula. *Flores* nutantes, paniculati, lutescentes. *Panicula* terminalis, divaricata, multiflora. *Pedunculi* flexuosi, *pedicellique* copiosè pubescentes. *Bracteolæ* paucissimæ, lanceolato-subulatæ, recurvulæ, pubescentes. *Involucrum* dupli serie poly-(13—16)-phyllum, velutinum : *foliolis* lanceolatis, acuminatis, politis, membranaceis ; *intimis* plurimùm longioribus. *Receptaculum* villosum. *Flosculi* 12—14, bilabiati, hermaphroditi ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, 3-denticulato ; *interiore* bipartito : *segmentis* lanceolato-subulatis, apice puberulis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linear-lanceolatâ obtusiusculâ ipsâ antherâ longiore, basi setis 2 simplicibus munitæ. *Stigma* bipartitum : *lacinias* recurvis, apice truncatis, minutè papilloso. *Achenia* longiuscula, compressa, undique papilloso-glandulosa. *Pappus* capillaris, flavigens, caducus, denticulis scaber.

The figure given in the *Nova Genera et Species* is accurate as to the general character of the plant ; but the leaves are represented with a perfectly entire margin, which is clearly an error ; for there can be no question as to the identity of the two plants, and indeed the description of M. Kunth shows that the figure is faulty in this respect. I have no doubt that the *Perdicium auriculatum* given in the *Botanical Magazine* (tab. 2765.) is really this plant, and that it is not, as there erroneously stated, from Brazil, but had been imported from Peru.

*** *Involucrum basi bracteis 5 amplis foliaceis obvallatum : foliolis simplici ordine digestis. Flosculi plurimi. Alcithoë.*

6. *T. longifolia*, foliis petiolatis lanceolatis acuminatis integerrimis laevibus.

Perdicium longifolium. *Herb. S. et M.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* ½.

Caulis fruticosus. *Rami* cylindrici, pallidi, perparcè sericeo-pubescentes. *Folia* (Salicis) numerosa, alterna, brevissimè petiolata, lanceolata, acuminata, integerrima, submembranacea, utrinque, sed præsertim subtùs, adpressè villosiuscula, costâ prominulâ, venisque plurimis obliquis reticulatim ramosissimis manifestis, basi v. acutâ, v. (in superioribus) obtusâ, gramineo-viridia, plerumque palmaria, vix semipollucem lata. *Petioli* teretiusculi, lineam v. ultra longi. *Flores* terminales, corymbosi, aurei. *Corymbus* simplex, foliosus, multiflorus. *Pedunculi* copiosè glandulosopubescentes, unciales. *Bracteæ* 5, amplæ, foliaceæ, ovato-lanceolatæ, acuminatæ, glanduloso-pubescentes. *Involucrum* simplici ordine 8-phyllum: *foliolis* ligulatis, acutis, coriaceis, costatis, intùs sericeo-vilosissimis, extùs atomis resinosis copiosissimis. *Receptaculum* copiosè villosum. *Flosculi* plures, (18—20) hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* ligulato, patulo, obtusè tridentato; *interiore* bipartito, revoluto: *segmentis* linear-lanceolatis, apice obtusis puberulisque. *Antheræ* appendiculâ ligulatâ obtusâ cartilagineâ antheram ipsam longitudine æquante, basi setis 2 simplicibus longis cuspidatis munitæ. *Stigma* bipartitum: *laciniis* recurvis, apice papilloso-barbatis, truncatis. *Achenia* teretiuscula, undique papilloso-scabra. *Pappus* capillaris, fulvellus, denticulis minutissimis scaber, fragilis, inæqualis, caducus.

7. T. *alata*, foliis decurrentibus ellipticis denticulatis scabris.

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* ½.

Caulis fruticosus, erectus, rigidus, ramosus: *Rami* teretes, foliaceo-alati, copiosè pilosi, scabri. *Folia* alterna, longè per caulem

caulem decurrentia, oblongo-ovata, acuta, mucronuloque corneo munita, utrinque papillis setosis exasperata, viridia, margine denticulata, costâ basi penitus prominenti apicem versus perecili, venis prominulis obliquis ramosissimis, 2—3-uncialia, unciam v. sesquiunciam lata. *Flores* terminales, plures, corymbosi. *Corymbus simplex*. *Pedunculi* teretes, validi, densè glanduloso-pilosi, semunciales. *Bracteæ* 5, amplæ, foliaceæ, ovato-lanceolatæ, acuminatæ, copiosè glandulosæ, pollicares v. sesquipollicares, vix semi-pollicem latæ, involucro longiores, atque obvallantes. *Involucrum* simplici serie 8-phyllum : *foliolis* linear-i-lanceolatis, acuminatis, coriaceis, apice membranaceis, papilloso-glandulosis. *Receptaculum* densè pilosum. *Flosculi* aurei, plurimi (24) hermaphroditi, bilabiati, omnibus majores ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, elliptico, tridenticulato ; *interiore* profundè bipartito : *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, pilosiusculis, spiraliter revolutis. *Antheræ* basi bisetæ : *setis* simplicibus, aristatis : *appendiculâ* ligulatâ, obtusâ, cartagineâ, ipsâ antherâ breviore. *Stigma* bipartitum : *lobis* recurvatis, apice truncatis et papillosis. *Achenia* teretiuscula, papilloso-scabra, spadicea. *Pappus* capillaceus, denticulis scaber, caducus, niveus.

8. T. *involucrata*, foliis ovato-lanceolatis integerrimis subtùs sericeo-villosissimis.

In Mexico. D. Paullus de La Llave. n.

Caulis fruticosus, ramosus. *Rami* teretes, undique villosissimi. *Folia* alterna, sessilia, conferta, ovato-lanceolata, acuminata, integerrima, uninervia, vénis angulo acuto obliquis, plurimis ; membranacea, suprà viridia, glandulis pedicellatis copiosè ornata, subtùs sericeo-vilosissima, pollicaria. *Flores* magni, in apice ramulorum pauci (4—5), corymbosi.

Involucrum copiosè glandulosum, serie simplici 8-phylum, bracteis amplis, foliaceis, ovato-lanceolatis, mucronatis ob-vallatum : *foliolis* linear-i-lanceolatis, mucronatis, nervosis. *Receptaculum* copiosè villosum. *Flosculi* aurei, copiosi, bilabiati, hermaphroditi, æquales : *tubo* intùs hirsuto ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, patulo, apice tridenticulato ; *interiore* altè bipartito : *segmentis* linearibus, revolutis, apice obtuso, barbato. *Filamenta* compressa, glabra. *Antheræ* appendiculâ ipsius antheræ longitudine, ligulatâ, coriaceâ terminatæ, basi longè biaristatæ : *aristis* nudis, linear-i-setaceis. *Stylus* filiformis, glaber. *Stigmata* semicylindrica, truncata, minutè papillosa. *Achenia* longitudine ferè involucri, angusta, tetragona, minutè papilloso-scabra. *Pappus* pilosus, fulvo-cinereus : *radiis* dupli ordine digestis, creberrimè denticulatis, basi solutis, deciduis.

This genus constitutes the transition from the *Cichoraceæ* to the more aberrant groups of the *Labiatifloræ*. The habit and the general resemblance of its flowers to those of the former family, justify the place which I have assigned to it. I have followed Lagasca and DeCandolle in restoring the old name of *Trixis*, first applied to designate the original species of this genus by Dr. Patrick Browne; but the genus having been united to *Perdicium* by Linnaeus, the name was subsequently used by Swartz to denote the *Baillieria* of Aublet. The third section may probably be reckoned sufficiently distinct to constitute another genus; but this point I shall leave till further observations shall determine.

CLEANTHES.

PERDICII SP., L.

Receptaculum glabrum ! *Flosculi* indefiniti. *Involucrum* æquale. *Involucrum* simplici v. dupli ordine polyphyllum : *foliolis* sub-æqualibus.

æqualibus. *Receptaculum* convexum, glabrum. *Flosculi* indefiniti, hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* elliptico, obtusè tridenticulato, 4-nervio, patulo; *interiore* bipartito: *laciniis* lanceolatis, acutis, binerviis, revolutis, sæpè margine conglutinatis. *Stamina* tubo inserta: *filamenta* glabra; *articulo superiore* teretiusculo: *antheræ* appendiculâ linearilanceolatâ, acutâ, cartilagineo-membranaceâ coronatæ, basi bisetosæ: *setis* compressis, attenuatis, simplicibus, æqualibus. *Stylus* filiformis, glaber, basi bulbosus. *Stigmata* semicylindrica, apice truncata, minutè papillosa, recurvata. *Achenia* subfusiformia, compressa, undique papilloso-scabra, 5-costata: *costis* callosis. *Discus epigynus* dilatatus, concavus. *Pappus* pilosus, persistens: *radiis* dupli ordine copiosis, denticulato-scabris.

Herbæ perennes, habitu omnino Hieracii. Caulis multiflorus.

Folia indivisa; radicalia maxima, petiolata. Flores corymbosi. Pappus cinereus.

1. *C. brasiliensis*, pilosissima; caule angulato, involucri foliolis lanceolatis obtusis.

Perdicium brasiliense. Linn. Mant. 115. Vahl. in Act. Soc. Hist. Nat. Haf. 1. p. 12.

In Brasiliâ. *Arduini. 4.*

Herba perennis, tota pilis basi callosis copiosè vestita, hispidula. *Caulis* erectus, angulatus, supernè sulcatus, apice ramosus, pedalis. *Folia radicalia* petiolata, patula, elliptico-oblonga, aut spathulata, sinuato-dentata (dénibus tuberculo calloso terminatis, productis, tunc rarò paulò retrorsis), basi attenuata, costâ mediâ subtùs prominulâ nervisque angulo acuto obliquè transversis instructa, palmaria, sesquiunciam lata; *caulina* plura, multoties minora, sessilia, linearilanceolata, margine dentata, revoluta, tuberculo calloso terminata,

terminata, uncialia v. biuncialia. *Petioli* unciales, subtus carinati, basi valde dilatati. *Flores* plures (7) corymbosi, magnitudine *Hieracii Sabaudi*. *Pedunculi* sulcati, bipollicares, uniflori, undique densè pilosi et glandulosi, basi sæpiusque supra medium bracteolâ linear-lanceolatâ canaliculatâ muniti. *Involucrum* hispidissimum, dupli ordine poly-(14—18)phyllum: *foliolis* ligulatis, obtusis, basi subtus obtusè carinatis, apice planis membranaceis latioribusque. *Flosculi* lutei, numerosi, hermaphroditi, bilabiati: *tubo* glanduloso, basi 5-angulo, fauce dilatato; *labio exteriore* elliptico-oblongo, obtusè tridenticulato, 4-nervio, nervis intermediis profundè bipartitis; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* lanceolatis, acutis, revolutis, nervis 2 longè intramarginalibus. *Filamenta* glabra; *articulo superiore* teretiusculo, duplò breviore. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearî, obtusâ, subfalcatâ, cartilagineâ coronatæ basi bisetosæ: *setis* complanatis, attenuatis, æqualibus. *Stylus* glaber, basi callosâ. *Stigma* linearia, truncata, minutè papillosa, recurva. *Achenia* subfusiformia, undique papilloso-scabra. *Discus epigynus* concavus. *Pappus* pilosus, cinereus: *radiis* dupli ordine copiosissimis, denticulato-scabris, deciduis.

The foregoing description of this interesting, and hitherto obscure plant, is taken from the original specimen preserved in the Linnæan herbarium, which together with the extensive collections and library of the late Sir James Edward Smith have now become the property of the Linnean Society. The acquisition of these collections will add much to the honour and credit of the Society, and will tend greatly to advance the science of Natural History in this country. Now that the number of species is so much increased, it is impossible in extensive genera to determine satisfactorily the older ones, without having recourse to the authentic materials on which they were founded.

2. *C. hieracioides*, glabriuscula ; caule subnudo tereti, involucri foliolis cuneato-lanceolatis acutis.

In Brasiliâ. *Sello.* 4.

Planta herbacea, leviter papillosa, virens. *Radix* perennis, è fibris pluribus, fili emporetici crassitie composita. *Caules* è radice plures, erecti, teretes, subfiliformes, apice tantùm ramosi, foliis ferè destituti, sesquipedales, pennam corvinam crassitie vix adæquantes. *Folia radicalia* maxima, petiolata, patula, oblongo-spathulata, repanda, vix ac ne vix sinuata, uninervia, basi attenuata, suprà prope marginem præsertim scabriuscula, aculeis minutissimis callosis, subtùs ad costam pilosa, palmaria, latitudine ferè biuncialia ; *caulina* paucissima (2 v. 4) plurimùm minora, semiamplexicaulia, linearilanceolata, mucronulata, denticulata, uncialia. *Flores* plures (5—7) corymbosi. *Pedunculi* longi, simplices v. bifidi, copiosè papilloso-glandulosi. *Bracteæ* lineares, mucronulatæ. *Involucrum* simplici ordine poly(10-)phyllum : *foliolis* cuneato-lanceolatis, acutis, concavis, extùs copiosè papilloso-glandulosis, scabris. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* plures, hermaphroditi, albi ? *tubo* glanduloso : *limbo* eodem breviore, bilabiato ; *labio exteriore* elliptico, obtusè tridenticulato, 4-nervio, patulo ; *interiore* bipartito : *laciniis* lanceolatis, acutis, binerviis, revolutis, sæpè margine conglutinatis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ lanceolatâ acutâ, cartilagineo-membranaceâ coronatæ, basi longè bisetosæ. *Stylus* filiformis, glaber, basi bulbosus. *Stigmata* semicylindrica, recurvata, apice truncata, parùm dilatata, minutèque papillosa. *Achenia* subfusiformia, compressa; papilloso-scabra, 5-costata. *Pappus* pilosus, cinereus, persistens : *radiis* dupli ordine copiosis, scabris, rigidulis.

Very near akin to the preceding species ; but in that the stem is angular and somewhat leafy, and the whole plant clothed with bristly

bristly hairs. The flowers are also larger ; and the leaflets of the involucrum nearly twice the number, and arranged in a double series. The genus, which appears to be a very natural one, is essentially distinguished from *Trixis* by the naked receptacle.

PROUSTIA. Lag. et Dec.

Receptaculum pilosum. Flosculi 5. Pappi radiis penicillatis.

Involucrum polyphyllum, imbricatum.

Involucrum tubulosum, polyphyllum : squamis ellipticis, integerimis, multiplici serie adpressè imbricatis. Receptaculum parvum, copiosè pilosum. Flosculi 5, hermaphroditi, bilabiati ; labio exteriore ligulato, tridenticulato, 4-nervio, patulo, demùm revoluto ; interiore profundè bipartito : segmentis linear-lanceolatis, binerviis, obtusiusculis, revolutis, primùm conglutinatis. Antheræ in tubum connatæ, basi bisetæ : setis simplicibus v. ramulosis : appendicula terminalis linearis, acutiuscula, cartilaginea. Stigma bilobum : lobis apice truncatis, papilloso-pruinosis, recurvis. Achenia cuneata, compressa, pilosa v. teretiuscula et papillosa : disco epigyno dilatato. Pappus persistens : radiis dupli ordine copiosis, apice penicillatis.

Arbusculæ v. Frutices ramosissimi. Folia alterna, indivisa. Flores thyrsoidei v. fasciculato-corymbosi, purpurei aut lutei.

* *Floribus thyrsoideis purpureis, acheniis pilosis, pappo colorato.*
Propriæ.

1. *P. pyrifolia*, foliis petiolatis cordato-rotundis ovalibusve subtus tomentosis.

Proustia pyrifolia. Lag. et Dec. in Ann. Mus. 19. p. 70. t. 4.
In Chili prope Talcahuana (*Ludovicus Née*) ; ad Coquimbo.
Caldcleugh. h.

Arbuscula erecta, ramosissima, tempore florendi ornatissima.
Rami

Rami teretes, à casu foliorum nodosi, tomento cinereo deciduo vestiti. *Folia* omnino Mali v. *Cydoniae*, alterna, petiolata, subrotundo-cordata v. ovalia, abruptè mucronulata, mucronulo brevissimo conico, margine integerrima, v. nunc sæpè dentibus pluribus mucronulatis instructa, coriacea, basi nunc rotundata, tunc obsoletius cordata, suprà viridia, nitida, glandulisque elevatis copiosè ornata, reticulato-venosissima, subtus tomento denso cinereo, demùm flavicanti et partim deciduo, instructa, sesqui- v. ferè tri-pollicaria, unciam aut sesquiunciam lata. *Petioli* teretes, densè tomentosi, suprà depressiusculi, 3 lineas longi, basi crassiore remanenti, inde rami tuberculati. *Flores* purpurei, in thyrso ampio copiosissimi, glomerati, hinc comosi. *Rachis* et *pedicelli* omnino lanati. *Involucrum* oblongo-cylindricum, polyphyllum: *squamis* ovalibus, obsoletè mucronulatis, coriaceis; *extimis* ovatis, levissimè lanuginosis, margine ciliatis, adpressè et decussatim imbricatis. *Receptaculum* punctum pilosum. *Flosculi* 5, hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* ligulato, acutè tridenticulato, parùm revoluto; *interiore* profundè bipartito, spiraliter revoluto: *laciinis* linearibus, acutis, primùm marginibus leviter conglutinatis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearî acutâ cartilagineâ terminatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis* linearibus, compressis, basi ramulosis. *Stigma* bilobum: *lobis* crassis, recurvulis, apice obtusis, minutè papilloso-pruinosis. *Achenia* pilosa. *Pappus* purpureus: *radiis* basi solutis, apice penicillatis.

2. P. *oblongifolia*, foliis petiolatis oblongis subtus tomentosis.
In Peruviâ. Ruiz et Pavon. ½.

Præcedenti similis. *Rami* teretes, flexuosi, post foliorum lapsum nodulosi, tomento cinereo caduco primò vestiti, glandulisque elevatis persistentibus perparcè muniti. *Folia* alterna, petiolata,

tiolata, oblonga, mucronata, mucrone brevi subulato recto, margine integrerrima v. parcè denticulata, coriacea, suprà viridia, lucida, reticulato-venosissima, venis siccitate prominulis, subtùs densè cinereo-tomentosa, ferè bipollucaria, 9 lineas v: parùm ultra lata. *Flores* glomerati, in thyrum confertum ovatum dispositi. *Pedunculi* et *pedicelli* brevisimi, densè lanati. *Involucrum* polyphyllum, decussatim imbricatum; *squamis* exterioribus ovatis, acutiusculis, concavis; interioribus oblongis, obtusis, pariter coriaceis, levissimè lanuginosis. *Flosculi* 5, omnino ut in *præcedente*. *Antheræ* basi bisetæ: *setis* basi ramulosis: *appendiculâ* linearis, acutiusculâ. *Stigma* bilobum: *lobis* semiteretibus, obtusis, crassis, minutè papillosum. *Achenia* pilosa. *Pappus* fusco-purpureus: *radiis* apice penicillatis, imâ basi connexis.

This species is intimately allied to the preceding; but its oblong, and much narrower leaves, appear to constitute a specific distinction.

** *Floribus pappoque albis, acheniis papilloso-scabris, teretiusculis.*

3. *P. reticulata*, foliis sessilibus oblongo-cuneatis serrulatis glabris, thyro composito laxo.

Proustia reticulata. *Lag. MSS.*

Perdicium serrulatum. *Herb. S. et M.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* *h.*

Frutex erectus, rigidus, ramosissimus. *Rami* sulcati, glabri.

Folia sessilia, oblongo-cuneata, quandoque obovata, argutè serrulata, coriacea, basin versus integrerrima, utrinque glabra, siccitate lutescenti-viridia, costâ venisque ramosissimis prominulis reticulata, subtùs punctis nuniérosissimis resinosis ornata, 3 pollices longa, unciam v. sesquiunciam lata; *rameis* linearis-oblongis, mucronulatis, vix pollicaribus.

Flores

Flores glomerati (glomeruli 4—9-flori), in thyrum laxum, obtusè pyramidatum digesti, albi, siccitate flavescentes. *Involucrum* tubulosum, imbricatum, ferè semunciale : *squamis* ovalibus, obtusis, ciliatis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* pilosum. *Flosculi* 5, hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* ligulato, obtusè 3-denticulato ; *interiore* bipartito : *segmentis* linear-lanceolatis, obtusis, revolutis, primùm conglutinatis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ lanceolatâ muticâ cartilagineâ coronatæ, basi bisetæ : *setis* simplicibus, setaceo-subulatis, acutissimis, ipsâ antherâ longioribus. *Stigma* bilobum, minutè papilloso-pruinosum. *Achenia* cuneata, compressa, minutè papillosa. *Pappus* albus, demùm flavescentis, deciduus : *radiis* tenuissimis, apice penicillatis.

4. *P. mexicana*, foliis amplexicaulibus cordatis acuminatis denticulatis membranaceis, corymbis fasciculatis, involucri squamis ovato-lanceolatis acuminatis.

Proustia mexicana. *Lag. MSS.*

Perdicium mexicanum. *Herb. S. et M.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* 7.

Rami erecti, sulcati, pube glandulosâ vestiti. *Folia* alterna, amplexicaulia, cordato-ovata v. oblonga, acuminata, argutè copiosèque spinuloso-denticulata, tunc subserrata, membranacea, reticulato-venosa, utrinque asperè papillosa, viridia, subtùs et ramuli, præcipue juventute, atomis resinosis aureomicantibus adspersa, pollicaria v. bipollicaria, unciam lata. *Flores* fasciculato-corymbosi. *Pedicelli* squamis ovato-lanceolatis, acuminatis, recurvulis, minutè glandulosis muniti. *Involucra* oblonga; tubulosa, polyphylla, copiosè glandulosa : *squamis* ovato-lanceolatis, acuminatis, adpressis. *Flosculi* 5, hermaphroditi, bilabiati, albi ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, acutè tridentato ; *interiore* bipartito : *lacinias* linear-

būs, obtusiusculis, revolutis. *Antheræ* basi setis longis, simplicibus, acutis munitæ, appendiculâ linear-i-lanceolatâ, obtusiusculâ terminatæ. *Stigma bifidum* : *laciñiis* semi-teretibus, truncatis, recurvis, papilloso-pruinosis. *Achenia teretiuscula*, papilloso-scabra. *Pappus albus* : *radiis* denticulis scabris, imâ basi connexis, apice subsimplici!

*** *Flores laxè spicati, rosei.* *Achenia cuneato-trigona, villosa.*
Pappus capillaris, fusco-purpureus. Harmodia.

5. *P. cuneifolia*, foliis lanceolato-cuneatis mucronulatis dentatis coriaceis glabris, floribus spicatis.

In Chili ad Coquimbo. Caldcleugh. h.

Frutex erectus, rigidus, facie proteaceâ. *Rami* teretes, glabri, foliosi. *Folia* alterna, petiolata, bipollicaria, lanceolato-cuneata, mucronulata, coriacea, rigida, glabra, subtùs costâ prominente venisque conspicuis reticulata, margine nunc integerrima, nunc denticulata, illinc dentibus paucis majoribus ad apicem instructa, infernè attenuata, vix semipollicem lata. *Flores* sessiles, solitarii v. per paria remotiusculi, bracteâ linear-i-lanceolatâ mucronatâ foliaceâ suffulti, hinc quasi axillares, in spicam terminalem, nunc basi ramosam, palmarem dispositi. *Involucra* polyphylla, imbriata, parcè lanuginosa : *squamis* ovalibus ellipticisve, obtusis, concavis, coriaceis, margine præcipue lanuginosis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* villosum. *Flosculi* 5, hermaphroditi, bilabiati, rosei ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, acutè tridentato ; *interiore* bipartito, revoluto : *laciñiis* linearibus, obtusis. *Antheræ* basi setis 2, longis, simplicibus, acutis auctæ, appendiculâ ligulatâ, acutiusculâ, cartilagineâ terminatæ. *Stigma bifidum* : *lobis* lingulatis, obtusis, minutè papillosis, recurvis. *Achenia cuneata*, trigona, sericeo-villosa.

villosa. *Pappus* fusco-purpureus, mollissimus : *radiis* longis, capillaceis, apice puberulis.

ACOURTIA.

Receptaculum nudum. *Flosculi* indefiniti. *Pappi radiis* penicillatis. *Involucrum* polyphyllum, imbricatum.

Involucrum turbinatum, multiplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum : *squamis* lanceolatis, mucronatis, adpressis, integerrimis, basi dilatatâ cum rachi articulatis, deciduis ! *Receptaculum* nudum, scrobiculatum. *Flosculi* plurimi (25—30) hermaphroditi, bilabiati, æquales ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, obtusè tridentato, 4-nervio ; *interiore* bipartito, revoluto : *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, binerviis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearî-lanceolatâ, acutiusculâ, cartilagineâ terminatæ, basi bisetosæ : *setis* simplicibus, obtusis. *Stigmata* linearia, truncata, apice papillosa. *Achenia* teretiuscula, (semuncialia) undique papilloso-scabra : *disco epigyno* parùm dilatato, planiusculo. *Pappi radiis* simplici serie contiguis, deciduis, apice penicillatis.

Planta fruticosa, habitu omnino Serratulæ, glauca. Caulis sesquiv. tri-pedalis, erectus, rigidus, teres, paniculatim ramosus. Rami sulcati, glabri, virides, nunc sanguinolenti, pennæ corvinæ crassitie. Folia alterna, amplexicaulia, cordato-oblonga, quandoque supernè latiora, subspathulata, mucrone calloso instructa, margine spinuloso-serrata, posticibus rotundatis, substantiâ cartilaginea, rigida, utrinque nuda, reticulato-venosissima, 2—4-uncialia, pollicem v. sesquipolllicem lata ; summis multò minoribus, sæpiusque integerrimis. Flores in apice ramulorum plures (3—10) corymboso-globerati, Serratulæ coronatæ magnitudine. Pedunculi teretes, glabri, semipolllicares. Involucra sœpè sanguineo-colorata. Flosculi purpurei :

purpurei: nervis infra sinus laciniarum dichotomis. Pappus niveus.

1. *A. formosa*.

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno*. $\frac{1}{2}$.

This genus agrees with the preceding in the structure of its involucrum, and with *Trixis* in the indefinite number of its florets; but it is distinguished from both by its naked receptacle, and from *Clarionia* by the structure of its pappus, by its equal florets, as well as by its widely different habit.

I have dedicated this very distinct and interesting genus to Mrs. A'Court, of Heytesbury House, Wilts, whose botanical taste and knowledge have long merited for her this compliment.

CLARIONIA. Lag. et Dec.

PEREZIA. Lag. Amen. Nat. 1. p. 31.

Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi indefiniti. Pappus capillaris.

Involucrum polyphyllum, imbricatum.

Involucrum oblongum, cylindricum, multiplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum. *Receptaculum nudum.* *In Flosculi omnes hermaphroditi, bilabiati; marginales majores, radium aemulantes; labio exteriore longo, ligulato, 4-nervio, obtusè tridenticulato, patulo; interiore profundè bipartito: segmentis linearì-angustissimis, binerviis, apice attenuatis, spiraliter revolutis, primò margine conglutinatis, uti sæpiùs perfaciè pro unico et simplici habitis; disci multoties breviores; labio exteriore elliptico, concavo, obtusè tridenticulato; interiore bipartito, spiraliter revoluto: segmentis similiiter conglutinatis, at latioribus. Filamenta capillaria, glabra, articulo manifesto. Antheræ appendiculâ linearî, acutâ, cartilagineo-*

cartilagineo-membranaceâ terminatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis* inæqualibus, validiusculis, mucronatis, simplicibus. *Stigmata* linearia, truncata, revoluta, suprà canaliculata, apice parùm dilatato, papilloso. *Achenia* teretiuscula v. compressa: *disco epigyno* dilatato. *Pappus* persistens, pilosus: *radiis* dupli ordine copiosis, scabris, apice simpli-cibus.

Herbæ perennes. Flores solitarii, magni, rubri v. albi.

* *Caulescentes foliis indivisis.*

1. *C. spathulata*, foliis planis spathulatis.

Clarionia spathulata. *Lag. MSS.*

In Chili. *Ruiz et Pavon.* 4.

Herba cæspitosa. *Caulis* pedalis, erectus, simplicissimus, ali-quandò ramulum unicum protrudit, uniflorus, filiformis, glaber, crassitie pennæ corvinæ, apicem versus glandulis pedicellatis copiosè ornatus. *Folia radicalia* ferè omnino *Othonnae cheirifoliæ*, numerosa, spathulata, plana, coriacea, margine integerrima v. crenulata, utrinque lœtè viridia, glaberrima, subtùs costâ validâ venisque reticulatis instructa, basin versus in petiolum attenuata, sesquipollaria, ad laminam latitudine unguem adæquantia; *caulina* sparsa, plurimùm minora, stricta, subadpressa, lingu-lata, margine integerrima ac cartilaginea, basi dilatatâ et denticulatâ, unguicularia v. nunc (præsertim inferiora) ferè uncialia. *Flos* terminalis, solitarius. *Involucrum* triplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum: *squamis* ligulatis, integerrimis, adpressis; minutè glandulosis; *interioribus* mu-cronulatis, longioribus. *Flosculi* hermaphroditi, bilabiati, albi; *labio exteriore* longo, ligulato, obtusè tridenticulato, 4-nervio; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* angustissimis, re-volutis, binerviis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearî, acutâ, co-loratâ,

loratâ, cartilagineâ terminatæ, basi bisetæ : setis longissimis, linearibus, complanatis, filamentoso-aristatis. *Stylus* inclusus. *Stigma* bipartitum : segmentis linearibus, truncatis, recurvis, apice papillosis. *Achenia* ancipiti-compressa, adpressè sericeo-villosissima. *Pappus* pilosus, inæqualis, crenatim denticulatus, fusco-cinereus.

Near akin to *Clarionia lactucoides*, the *Perdicium lactucoides* of Vahl (*Act. Havn.* 1. pars 2. p. 11. t. 5.), which however is readily distinguished by having the radical leaves on long foot-stalks, lanceolate, and obtuse. In other respects both plants are much alike.

2. *C. recurvata*, foliis recurvatis linearibus rugosis margine revolutis spinuloso-denticulatis.

Perdicium recurvatum. *Vahl.* l. c. 1. p. 13. t. 7. (bona.)

In Chili. *Ruiz et Pavon.* 4.

Caulescens, semperfiriens, fruticulosa. *Caules* palmares, densè foliosi. *Folia* undique versa, basibus valdè dilatatis, margine membranaceo-ciliatis, imbricata, sursùm recurvato-patula, linearia, spinulâ cartilagineâ albâ apiculata, nitida, viridia, margine revoluta, suprà transversim reticulato-rugosa, costâque latâ planiusculâ instructa, utrinque glandulis minutis pedicellatis, præsertim ad costam, munita, in periphæriâ paginæ superioris præcipuè denticulis plurimis spinulosis, cartilagineis, albis, unicâ serie digestis, aliisque raro adspersis, ornata, pollicaria, sesquilineam lata. *Pedunculus* solitarius, terminalis; tripollicaris, erectus, filiformis, uniflorus, pube glandulosâ asperulus, foliolis aliquot sparsis, linearibus, costâ validâ carinatis, spinuloso-mucronatis, margine ciliatis, adpressis munitus. *Involucrum* campanulatum, unciale : *squamis* multipli ordine adpressè imbricatis,

catis, ligulatis, spinuloso-mucronatis, extùs papilloso-glandulosis, asperiusculis ; *exterioribus* margine spinuloso-ciliatis ; *interioribus* margine membranaceis, integerrimis. *Flosculi* hermaphroditi, bilabiati, albi ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, 3-denticulato, 4-nervio ; *interiore* bipartito, membranaceo, spiraliter revoluto. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearî-lanceolatâ acutâ, basi longè bisetosæ. *Stigma* exsertum, bipartitum : *segmentis* semicylindricis, recurvatis, apice latiore truncato, minutè papilloso. *Achenia* ancipiti-compressa, glabra. *Pappus* pilosus, inæqualis, creberrimè denticulatus, fusco-brunneus.

** *Acaules foliis pinnatifidis, acheniis elongatis, teretiusculis.*
Palesia.

3. *C. runcinata*, foliorum segmentis rotundatis spinoso-serratis undulatis, scapis elongatis, involuci squamis integerrimis. *Perezia runcinata*. *Lag. MSS.*
In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno*. 4.

Radix fusiformis. *Caudex* brevissimus, lanatus. *Folia* plurima, radicalia, breviter petiolata, spathulato-oblonga, runcinato-pinnatifida, membranacea, utrinque viridia, punctis elevatis aspera, siccitate tactu arida (an similiter in *vivis*?) 3—5-pollicaria, unciam v. sesquiunciam lata : *lobis* latis, rotundatis, crebrè inæqualiterque spinoso-serratis, undulatis. *Scapi* erecti, filiformes, scabri, uniflori, folia longitudine æquantes, apicem versus paululùm crassiores. *Involucrum* multiplice ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum : *squamis* lanceolatis, pungenti-mucronatis, integerrimis, rigidis, aliisque similibus per scapi superius dimidium sparsis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* omnes hermaphroditi, bilabiati, nervis infra laciniarum sinus profundè bipartitis ; *exteriores* multò majores ; *labium exterius* maximum, ligulatum,

latum, patulum, apice tridenticulatum, nervis 4 æqualiter distantibus; *interius* profundè bipartitum: *segmentis* linearilanceolatis, binerviis, apice spiraliter revolutis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ lanceolatâ acutâ cristatæ, basi longè bicornutæ. *Stigmata* linearia, revoluta, suprà canaliculata, apice truncato, dilatato, papilloso. *Achenia* teretiuscula, papilloso-mucicata, semuncialia: *disco epigyno* dilatato, calloso. *Pappus* longus, pilosus, cinereo-fulvellus: *radiis* dupli ordine confertissimis, scabris, apice simplicibus, inæqualibus.

4. C.? *virens*, foliorum segmentis ellipticis spinuloso-ciliatis planis, flore sessili, involucri squamis dentatis.

In Peruviæ summis alpibus Cordilleras de los Andes Hispánicè dictis. *Ruiz et Pavon.* 4.

Herba ex habitu *Cl. Magellanicae* affinis videtur, acaulis, cæspitosa, intensè clareque virens. *Radix* e fibris compluribus longis crassiusculis composita. *Folia* in orbem acta, numerosa, patentissima, profundè pinnatifida, circumscriptione lanceolata, membranacea, tactu arida, rigidia, sessi-*v.* bipollicaria, semunciam lata, basi tenuissimè membranaceo-ciliatâ, costâ validâ infernè latiore subtùs convexâ: *segmentis* ovalibus, planis, margine ciliis plurimis cartilagineis, setaceo-spinulosis ornatis, apice aristâ tenui, longiusculâ, rectâ instructis, utrinque oculo armato punctis numerosis, minutissimis adspersis. *Flos* solitarius, sessilis. *Involucrum* polyphyllum: *squamis* oblongis, mucronatis, spinuloso-dentatis. Cætera mihi ignota.

HOMOIANTHUS. Bonpl., Dec.

HOMANTHIS. Kunth.

PEREZIAE SP., Lag.

PERDICII SP., Vahl.

Receptaculum tuberculatum. *Pappus* pilosus. *Involucrum* dupli ordine polyphyllum, subæquale.

Involucrum hemisphæricum, dupli ordine polyphyllum: foliolis longitudine æqualibus; exterioribus dentatis; interioribus integerrimis, mucronatis. *Receptaculum* tuberculis truncatis margine fimbriatis instructum. *Flosculi* subæquales, hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio* exteriore elliptico, concavo, marginibus induplicatis, obtusè tridenticulato, substantiâ crassiusculo, cartilagineo; interiore membranaceo, bipartito: *laciniis* linearibus, spiraliter revolutis. *Filamenta* complanata, glabra, articulo manifesto. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linear-lanceolatâ acutâ cristatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis* simplicibus, attenuatis. *Stylus* filiformis. *Stigma* inclusum, bifidum: *lobis* semicylindricis, apice truncatis, papilloso-pruinosis. *Achenia* compressa, densè hirsuta. *Pappus* pilosus: *radiis* dupli serie digestis, denticulato-scabris, basi solutis, deciduis.

Herbæ perennes. Folia pinnatifida. Flores solitarii v. corymbosi. Flosculi cærulei v. albi. Pappus sordidè fulvus. Achenia villis adpressis ferrugineis nitidis tecta.

1. H. *pinnatifidus*, inermis; foliorum segmentis ovalibus obtusis ciliatis imbricatis, caule unifloro foliis breviore.

Homoianthus. Dec. in Ann. Mus. xix. p. 65. t. 3. f. 2.

Homanthis pinnatifidus. Kunth in H. et B. Nov. Gen. et Sp. Pl. 4. p. 308.

Chætanthera pinnatifida. *H. et B. Pl. Æqu. 2. p. 170. t. 136.*

Perezia pinnatifida. *Lag. MSS.*

In Peruviæ alpibus summis frigidissimis. *Ruiz et Pavon.* 4.

Herba perennis, subacaulis, cæspitosa. *Radix* e fibris compluribus filo emporetico crassitie æqualibus, longissimis composita. *Caules* plures, foliis duplò breviores, erecti, simplices, uniflori, teretes, supernè pilosi, vix pennam anserinam crassitie æquantes. *Folia radicalia* plurima, in orbem acta, patula, petiolata, profundè pinnatifida, circumscriptione linearia, obtusa, costâ dilatatâ, subtùs convexâ, nervosâ, bi- v. tri-pollicaria : *segmentis* subrotundo-ovalibus, obtusis, inæquilateris, coriaceis, suprà punctis numerosis elevatis asperis, subtùs glabris, margine setaceo-ciliatis, saepius conduplicatis, invicem se imbricatis, unguicularibus ; *caulina* paucissima (2—3) linear-lanceolata, duplicato-serrata, serraturis aristatis, semuncialia, 2 lineas lata, petiolis longioribus membranaceis paginam ipsam latitudine penissimè æquantibus. *Petioli* lineares, dilatati, nervosi, margine membranacei, basin versus latiores, subtùs striati, 2—3-unciales, 3—4 lineas lati. *Flores* terminales, solitarii, albi. *Involucrum* hemisphæricum, dupli ordine poly-(24—30)phyllum, æquale : *foliolis exterioribus* duplicato-serratis (serraturis aristatis) foliis caulinis subsimilibus ; *intimis* ligulatis, apice rotundatis, mucronato-aristatis, margine membranaceis, integerrimis. *Receptaculum* an tuberculatum ? *Flosculi* omnes hermaphroditi, æquales, bilabiati ; *labio exteriore* ovali-oblongo, obtusè tridenticulato, substantiâ crassâ cartilagineâ, marginibus inflexis concavo ; *interiore* membranaceo, bipartito : *laciñis* linearibus, attenuatis, spiraliter revolutis. *Filamenta* complanata, glabra. *Antheræ* basi setis 2 simplicibus attenuatis auctæ, appendiculâ

diculâ linearî-lanceolatâ acutâ atro-purpureâ terminatæ. *Stigma bilobum*, inclusum : *lobis semicylindricis*, truncatis, minutè papillosis, recurvis. *Achenia elliptica*, compressiuscula, densè hirsuta. *Pappus pilosus*, creberrimè denticulatus, fulvellus, deciduus.

2. *H. multiflorus*, spinosus ; foliis dentato-pinnatifidis, floribus corymbosis.

Homoianthus. *Dec. l. c. t. 3. f. 6.*

Homanthis multiflorus. *Kunth l. c. 4. p. 14.*

Chætanthera multiflora. *H. et B. l. c. 2. p. 168. t. 135.*

In Peruviæ locis alpinis frigidis Provinciarum Cantæ, Tar- mæ, Huanuci, Huamalies, Jaujæ, et Huarochiri. *Ruiz et Pavon. 4.*

Radix fusiformis. *Caulis pedalis v. cubitalis*, erectus, foliosus, teres, villis mollibus articulatis viscidis copiosè vestitus, crassitie digitæ minoris. *Folia alterna*, sessilia, bi- v. tri- pollicaria, linearî-lanceolata, dentato-pinnatifida, coriacea, suprà pubè glandulosâ, subtùs villis articulatis copiosè vestita : *dentibus magnis*, triangulari-ovatis, simplicibus v. rariùs tricuspidatis, spinulâ albâ rectâ terminatis. *Flores terminales*, numerosi (20—30) in corymbum digesti. *Pedunculi* crassi, lanati, bracteati. *Involucrum* dupli ordine poly-(10—16)phyllum : *foliolis* ovato-lanceolatis, spinuloso-acuminatis, glanduloso-tomentosis ; *intimis* margine lato sca- rioso apice producto, hinc abruptè emarginato-truncatis cum mucrone ; *extimis* margine inde unidentatis. *Recep- taculum* convexum, tuberculatum : *tuberculis* truncatis, mar- gine fimbriatis. *Flosculi* albo-cærulei, quâm in præcedente triplò minores, hermaphroditi, æquales, bilabiati ; *labio ex- teriore* elliptico-oblongo, concavo, subcartilagineo, obtusè tridenticulato ; *interiore* membranaceo, bipartito : *laciniis lanceolato-*

lanceolato-linearibus, acutiusculis, primùm conglutinatis, demùm spiraliter revolutis. *Antheræ* basi setis 2 simplicibus munitæ : *appendiculâ* linear-lanceolatâ acutâ atro-violaceâ. *Stigma* bifidum : *laciniis* semicylindricis, apice latiore, truncato, minutè papilloso. *Achenia* cuneato-oblonga, pilis rufis hirsutissima. *Pappus* pilosus, fulvus : *radiis* creberrimè denticulatis, mucronulo simplici nudo apiculatis.

Obs. Planta *Scorzonerae peruvianæ* nomine a Ruiz inscripta. Floret tempore pluviarum. Vulgò *Escorzonero*. Maximè refrigerans et cordialis est : usus ejus communissimus est in omni Regno Peruviano. *Ruiz MSS.*

This genus is intimately allied to the preceding ; but its tuberculate receptacle, the consistence and greater uniformity of its florets, and its involucrum composed of a double series of nearly equal scales, appear to constitute a sufficient generic distinction. Intimately allied to the last species is the *Perdicium squarrosum* of Vahl (*Act. Havn. i. par. 2. p. 11. t. 6.*), which is, however, distinguished by its more slender habit; by the more numerous and closely disposed segments of its leaves; and lastly, by having much fewer flowers on longer peduncles, disposed in a loose spreading corymbus.

b. PAPPO PLUMOSO.

LEUCERIA. Lag. et Dec.

Flosculi marginales radiati. *Pappi radiis* plumosis simplici serie dispositis. *Involucrum* imbricatum.

Involucrum semiglobosum, triplici circiter serie polyphyllum, imbricatum. *Receptaculum* nudum, scrobiculatum. *Flosculi* plurimi, hermaphroditi, bilabiati ; in periphæriâ majores ligulâ longiore patulo et hinc radium constituentibus ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, 4-nervio, tridentato ; *interiore* profundè bipartito : *segmentis* linear-angustissimis, obtusiusculis,

culis, spiraliter revolutis, margine primūm conglutinatis. *Antheræ* appendiculā lanceolatā terminatæ, basi longè bisetæ: *setis* tenuissimis, simplicibus. *Stigmata* semicylindrica, apice dilatato, truncato, papilloso. *Achenia* cuneata, compressa, pilosa. *Pappi radiis* plumosis, simplici ordine contiguis, basi conferruminatis.

Herbæ caulescentes, niveo-lanatæ, radice sæpè annuâ. Folia raro indivisa. Flores pedunculati, purpurei, albi, aut flavi. Ligulæ nervi exteriores longè intramarginales. Pappus niveus.

* *Involucri squamis multiplici serie imbricatis; intimis intramarginibus, scariosis, paleas mentientibus. Propriæ.*

1. *L. acanthoides*, caule subsimplici, foliis amplexicaulibus pinnatifidis spinuloso-mucronatis.

In Chili. *Ruiz et Pavon.* 4.

Herba perennis, niveo-canescens. *Radix* fusiformis, crassa, fusca. *Caulis* cubitalis, strictus, simplex, teres, gracilis, uno latere erubescens, lanugine niveo et setulis numerosis glanduliferis obsitus, crassitie vix pennam corvinam adæquans. *Folia radicalia* ferè *Arctotis tristis*, longè petiolata, profundè pinnatifida, niveo-lanata, palmaria: *segmentis* oblongis, mucronulatis, tridentatis, v. rariùs sinuato-dentatis, unguicularibus; *caulina* amplexicaulia, pinnatifida, subtùs lanuginosa, suprà pallidè viridia, et lanugine ferè destituta, punctis elevatis glanduliferis, scabriuscula, pollicaria v. sesquipollucaria: *laciiniis* ovato-lanceolatis, spinuloso-mucronatis, margine revolutis, integerrimis. *Flores* plures (3—5 v. 7) longè pedunculati, in corymbum digesti, terminales. *Involucrum* semiglobosum, ut et pedunculi tripollicares, lanuginosum, glandulisque pedicellatis munitum: *squamis* multiplici ordine imbricatis, lanceolatis, muticis v. mucronulatis, membranaceis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* scrobiculatum.

Flosculi

Flosculi cyanei, omnes hermaphroditi, bilabiati, tubo cylindrico limbo æquali; *labio exteriore* elliptico, obsoletè tridenticulato; *interiore* bipartito, spiraliter revoluto: *laciniis* linearibus, obtusiusculis, primùm margine conglutinatis. *Antheræ* basi longè bisetæ, appendiculâ linear-i-lanceolatâ obtusâ terminatæ. *Stigma* bipartitum: *laciniis* semicylindricis, apice dilatato-truncatis, minutè papillois, recurvis. *Achenia* cuneato-compressa, pilosa. *Pappus* niveus, caducus: *radiis* plumosis, basi leviter connexis.

2. L. *divaricata*, caule diffusè ramosissimo, foliis amplexicaulibus inciso-pinnatifidis.

In Chili ad Coquimbo. *Caldcleugh.* ⊖.

Caulis tripedalis, erectus, ramosissimus, divaricatus, uti cum totâ ferè herbâ glandulis pedicellatis confertissimis necnon lanugine albâ parciori instructus. *Folia caulina* (superiora tantùm vidi) remotè alterna, amplexicaulia, inciso-pinnatifida, subtûs costâ prominenti instructa, lanugine niveâ vestita, suprà opaco-viridia, glandulosa, uncialia v. sesquiuncialia; *segmentis* lanceolatis, cuspidatis, margine revolutis, integerrimis; *imis duobus* sagittæ more porrectis. *Flores* laxè paniculati. *Pedunculi* filiformes, uti cum *involucro* copiosissimè glandulosi atque lanuginosi, sesquipollicares. *Involucrum* subglobosum, truncatum: *squamis* multiplici ordine imbricatis; *exterioribus* ovato-lanceolatis, obtusis, adpressis; *intimis* longioribus, acutis. *Receptaculum* scrobiculatum. *Flosculi* flavi, omnes hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *marginales* plures (15—16) radium æmulantes; *labio exteriore* ligulato, tridenticulato, in radio majore patulo, in disco revoluto; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* linear-i-angustissimis, membranaceis, primò conglutinatis, revolutis. *Filamenta* capillaria, glabra. *Antheræ* basi setis 2 tenuissimis simplicibus

plicibus longis auctæ, appendiculâ linearî acutâ antherâ ipsâ longiore terminatæ. *Stigma* bipartitum: *segmentis* semicylindricis, revolutis, apice dilatato-truncatis, papilloso-pruinosis. *Achenia* oblonga, compressâ, undique setulosa. *Pappus* albus, fugax: *radiis* plumosis, simplici ordine digestis, imâ basi connexis.

** *Involucri squamis dupli ordine dispositis, subæqualibus. Casiopea.*

3. *L. cinerea*, foliis petiolatis pinnatifidis: lobis subrotundis dentatis, involucri squamis mucronulatis.

In Chili, aridis arenosis ad urbem Conceptionis. *Ruiz et Pavon.* ⊖.

Herba facie *Senecionis viscosæ*, niveo-lanata. *Radix* capillaceo-fibrosa. *Caulis* erectus, teres, ramulosus, altitudine perquam varius, bi- v. tri-pollicaris, nunc palmaris v. spithameus. *Folia* alterna, petiolata, cuneato-oblonga, sinuoso-pinnatifida, subtus densius lanata, basi attenuata, uncialia v. sesquiuncialia: *segmentis* subrotundo-ovatis, nunc trapezoido-ovatis, mucronulatis, margine paululum reflexis, dentibusque inæqualibus mucronulatis instructis, 3 lineas longis. *Petioli* lineares, margine membranaceo-alati, subtus convexiusculi, striati, hinc inde lanati, vix unciales. *Flores* pauci (3—5) magnitudine et facie ferè *Senecionis elegantis*, pedunculosi, rubicundi. *Involucrum* globosum, dupli v. raro subtriplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum: *squamis* ellipticis sive elliptico-oblongis, mucronulatis, membranaceis, adpressis, longitudine subæqualibus, extus glanduloso-pubescentibus, apice sanguineo-coloratis. *Flosculi* omnes hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* ligulato, elliptico-oblongo, tridentato; *interiore* bipartito, revoluto: *segmentis* linearibus, obtusiusculis, margine congluti-

natis. *Antheræ* basi setis longis, tenuissimis, simplicibus auctæ, appendiculâ lanceolatâ acutâ terminatæ. *Achenia* cuneata, compressa, pilis brevibus adpressiusculis vestita. *Pappus* niveus, fugax: *radiis* leviter plumosis, imâ basi connexis.

4. L. *pulchella*, foliis amplexicaulibus pinnatifidis: laciniis ovato-lanceolatis margine revolutis subintegerrimis, involucri squamis acuminatis.

In Chili ad Coquimbo. *Caldcleugh.* ♂.

Herba niveo-lanata, glandulis pedicellatis copiosè munita. *Radix* fibrosa, annua. *Caulis* erectus, ramosus, teres, 4—5-uncialis. *Folia radicalia* petiolata, patula, cuneata, dentata; *caulina* amplexicaulia, sinuato-pinnatifida, mucronulata, uncialia, margine revoluta, subtùs niveo-lanata, suprà viridia, glandulisque copiosis ornata, vix lanuginosa: *segmentis* ovatis v. lanceolatis, simplicibus, aut raro denticulatis, apice mucronulatis. *Flores* pedunculati, rubicundi, magnitudine præcedentis. *Pedunculi* tomentosi et glandulosi, filiformes, graciles, uniflori, pollicares v. sesquipollicares. *Involucrum* hemisphæricum, copiosè glandulosum, atratum: *squamis* dupli serie digestis, lanceolatis, acuminatis, adpressis, subæqualibus. *Flosculi* omnes hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* ligulato, patulo, tridenticulato; *interiore* bipartito, revoluto: *laciniis* linearis-angustissimis, primùm margine conglutinatis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearis obtusiusculâ membranacea terminatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis* simplicibus, basi cuspidatis, antherâ ipsâ paulò brevioribus. *Stigma* bipartitum: *segmentis* semicylindricis, recurvatis, apice dilatato-truncatis, minutè papillosum. *Achenia* hispidula. *Pappus* albus, caducus: *radiis* plumosis, imâ basi connexis.

5. L. *gla-*

5. *L. glandulosa*, foliis sessilibus sinuato-dentatis, involucri squamis mucronulatis.

Cum præcedente. *Caldcleugh.* ♂.

Herba lanugine albâ glandulisque pedicellatis copiosissimis prædita. Radix fibrosa, annua. Caulis erectus, ramosus, teres, gracilis, spithameus v. pedalis. Folia radicalia brevissimè petiolata, cuneato-oblonga, patentia, acutè sinuato-dentata, sesqui- v. tri-pollicaria; caulina inferiora conformia, sed remotius dentata (dentibus mucronulo obtuso terminatis); superiora lanceolata, acuminata, nunc integerrima, subamplexicaulia, nunc rarius tripartita! Flores plures, longè pedunculati, intensè rubicundi, necnon majores quam in præcedente. Pedunculi recti, filiformes, uniflori, undique, uti involucrum, copiosè lanuginosi atque pilis glandulosis patulis præediti. Involucrum semiglobosum, truncatum, duplice ordine imbricatum: squamis oblongis, mucronulatis, subæqualibus, adpressis, margine membranaceis. Receptaculum scrobiculatum. Flosculi omnes hermaphroditici, bilabiati; labio exteriore ligulato, tridenticulato, superficie asperiusculâ; interiore bipartito: segmentis linearis-attenuatis, revolutis, primùm margine conglutinatis; marginales multoties majores, radium æmulantes. Antheræ appendiculâ linearilanceolatâ acutiusculâ membranaceâ terminatae, basi bisetæ: setis simplicibus, acutis, ipsâ antherâ paulò brevioribus. Stigma bipartitum: lacinias recurvis, apice dilatato-truncatis, papilloso-pruinosis. Achenia cuneata, compressa, pilosissima. Pappus niveus, fugax: radiis eleganter plumosis, imâ basi in annulum connexis.

The *Trixis seneciooides* of Dr. Hooker's Exotic Flora belongs, as we have elsewhere stated, to this genus, whose receptacle is certainly naked; for the paleaceous scales attributed to its cir-

cumference are clearly nothing more than the scales composing the inner series of the involucrum. The plumose pappus compared with that of the inner floret of the partial capitula of *Polyachyrus*, a genus hereafter to be described, the form and structure of their corolla, the outer lamina of which is traversed in both by four distant slender nerves, and the habit of the plants themselves, show that there is a considerable degree of affinity between these two genera.

PTILURUS.

Flosculi æquales. Pappi radiis plumosis, dupli serie dispositis.

Involucrum subæquale.

Involucrum dupli ordine poly-(18—20)phyllum, subæquale : *foliolis* ovato-lanceolatis, trinerviis, apice membranaceo acuminato radiatis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* omnes hermaphroditi, tubulosi, bilabiati, æquales ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, 4-nervio, obtusè tridenticulato ; *interiore* bipartito, demùm revoluto : *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, binerviis. *Antheræ* coalitæ, basi longè bisetosæ : *setis* simplicibus : *appendiculâ* linearì-lanceolatâ, acutâ. *Stigma* bipartitum : *laciniis* semicylindricis, recurvis, apice dilatato-truncatis, pruinosis. *Achenia* elliptico-oblonga, compressa, densè papilloso-glandulosa, apice angustata, disco parvo. *Pappi radiis* crassiusculis, eleganter plumosis, mollissimis, dupli ordine digestis, basi dilatatâ imbricatis ! deciduis.

Herba perennis, humilis, cæspitosa, facie Dauci v. Athamantæ, setulis erectis, glanduliferis, copiosissimè instructa. Radix fusiformis, ramosa. Caulis erectus, teres, subramosus, triangularis, vix calami scriptorii crassitie. Folia supradecomposita, densè glandulosa, pollicaria v. sesquipollucaria : segmentis linearibus, obtusis, sesquilineam longis. Petioli foliis longiores, maximè dilatato-membranacei ; inferiorum foliorum latiores

latores et longiores, basibus caulis partem inferiorem imbricatim tegentes. Flores terni, brevissimè pedunculati, magni, semiglobosi. Involucrum villis longis articulatis copiosè lanatum : foliolis ovato-lanceolatis, acuminatis, æqualibus, discum paulò superantibus. Flosculi albi.

Obs. Nomen ad pappi structuram refert, a πτιλος pluma, et ουρα cauda.

1. P. *daucifolius*.

In Peruviæ summis alpibus Cordilleras de los Andes Hispánicè dictis. Ruiz et Pavon. 4.

This is another instance of the many analogies that might be pointed out between the *Compositæ* and *Umbelliferæ*; its leaves, their dilated petioles clasping the stem; the pubescence, and indeed the whole habit, has much the air of an umbelliferous plant; and without the flowers the acutest botanist would not be censurable for mistaking it for one of that family. The structure of its involucrum, the equality of its florets, and the rays of the pappus arranged in a double series, with dilated imbricate bases, abundantly distinguish it from *Leuceria*, to which it otherwise comes nearest in affinity.

c. PAPPO PALEACEO.

TRIPTILION. Ruiz et Pavon.

Receptaculum yillosum. Flosculi 5. Involucrum polyphyllum, imbricatum.

Involucrum tubulosum, polyphyllum, imbricatum : squamis lanceolatis, apice spinoso-mucronatis ; extimus squarrosis. Receptaculum paryum, densè villosum. Flosculi 5, hermafroditi, bilabiati ; labio exteriore pataloideo, tridenticulato, 4-nervio (nervis arcuatis), radium per breve patulum consti-tuenti ; interiore membranaceo, bipartito, duplò breviore, revoluto :

revoluto : *laciiniis* linear-lanceolatis, obtusiusculis, binerviis, margine primò conglutinatis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ lanceolatâ, acutâ, membranaceâ ! terminatæ, basi bisetæ : *setis* simplicibus, nudis, attenuatis. *Stigma* bipartitum : segmentis semicylindricis, recurvis, apice truncato, papilloso. *Achenia* triquetra, sursùm crassiora. *Pappi radiis* 3 (rariùs 5) paleaceis, linearibus, canaliculatis caducis : *apicibus* penicillato-plumosis v. ciliatis, involucro longioribus, recurvato-patulis.

Herbæ ramosissimæ, decumbentes, squarrosæ. Folia alterna, sessilia, simplicia, spinoso-mucronata. Flores fasciculato-corymbosi, aut raro subsolitarii, cyanei v. albi. Pappus niveus aut flavicans.

* *Pappi radiis apice penicillatis. Propriæ.*

1. *T. spinosum*, foliis pinnatifidis, floribus fasciculatis, pappi radiis apice penicillatis.

Triptilion spinosum. Ruiz et Pavon Gen. Pl. Fl. Per. et Chil. p. 102. t. 22. Syst. 1. p. 185.

In Chili campis et collibus, præsertim circa Conceptionis urbem (*Ruiz et Pavon*) ; ad urbem S. Jacobi Chilensem. *Caldcleugh. 4..*

Herba diffusè ramosissima, squarrosa. *Radix* fibrosa. *Caules* plures, decumbentes, flexuosi, graciles, teretes, rigidiusculi, undique copiosè pilosi, spithamæi v. pedales. *Folia* sparsa, sessilia, circumscriptione lanceolata, margine revoluta, utrinque pilosa, substantiâ cartilaginea, rigentia, tactu arida, subtùs costâ manifestè prominente, reverà tamen avenia, semunciam v. unciam longitudine æquantia ; *inferiora* pinnatifida ; *superiora* inciso-dentata, sive raro integrerima : *laciiniis* paucis, lanceolatis, apiceque folii ipsius mucrone spinoso elongato stricto armatis. *Flores* confer-tissimi,

tissimi, fasciculato-corymbosi. *Involucrum imbricatum*, unguiculare: *squamis bracteisque lanceolato-subulatis*, apice patulo elongato triquetro spinoso-mucronatis; *interioribus adpressis*, margine dilatato-membranaceis. *Receptaculum punctum densè villosum*. *Flosculi 5*, hermaphroditi, radium per breve, pulchrè cyaneum, colore persistente, constituentes; *labio exteriore* subrotundo-ovali, patulo, subtùs concavo, obtusè tridenticulato; *interiore* pallidè luteo, bipartito, revoluto, exteriore duplò breviore: *lacinias linearis-lanceolatis*, obtusiusculis, margine primùm conglutinatis. *Antheræ appendiculâ lanceolatâ acutâ membranaceâ apice cœruleâ terminatae*, basi bisetosæ: *setis simplicibus*, nudis, attenuatis. *Stigma bipartitum*: *segmentis linearibus*, subtùs convexis: *apice* dilatato-truncato, minutè papilloso. *Achenia pyramidato-trigona*, basi attenuata, glabra. *Pappus exsertus*, niveus, pulcherrimus: *radiis 3*, paleaceis, linearibus, canaliculatis caducis, apice recurvato-patulo, penicillato-plumoso.

Obs. Vulgò dicitur Siempreviva ob colorem florum permanentem quorum usus est communissimus ad ornamentum. Floret Januario et Februario. Planta valdè amara est, et ad ardores urinæ atque dolores nephriticos levigandos utilissima.
Ruiz MSS.

2. T. *diffusum*, foliis linearis-lanceolatis integerrimis, floribus diffusè corymbosis, pappi radiis apice penicillatis.

In Chili ad Coquimbo. *Caldcleugh. 4.*

Herba diffusè ramosissima. *Caules decumbentes*, filiformes, lenti, supernè ramisque virgatis copiosè pilosi, spithamæi v. dodrantales. *Folia* sparsa, sessilia, linearis-lanceolata, spinuloso-mucronata, subtùs pilosa, margine revoluta, integerrima, aut raro dente uno alterove instructa, uncialia, sesqui-

sesquilineam v. 2 lineas lata. *Flores* laxè diffusèque corymbosi. *Involucri squamis exterioribus* linear-i-subulatis, apice triquetro spinuloso-mucronatis, patulis, squarrosis; *intimis membranaceo-dilatatis*, extùs pilosiusculis. *Flosculi* radio subrotundo-ovali, albo? Cætera ut in præcedente.

This is intimately allied to the preceding species, of which it may ultimately prove to be only a variety; but I must leave this question undecided until further observations shall determine whether the characters by which they are here separated, are permanent.

**. *Pappi radiis apice ciliatis.*

3. *T. cordifolium*, foliis subrotundo-cordatis margine setaceo-spinosis, floribus subternis.

Triptilion cordifolium. *Lag. in Bot. Reg. t. 853.*

In Chili. *D. Place.* ⊖.

Herba radice tenuissimè fibrosâ, annuâ, diffusè ramosissima, lætè virens. *Caules* filiformes, valdè flexuosi, pubescentes. *Folia* sparsa, sessilia; *inferiora* subrotundo-cordata, amplexicaulia; *superiora* subrotunda v. rhombea; cartilagineo-membranacea, costâ prominente venisque reticulatis ad oram confluentibus, hinc marginata, utrinque leviter pubescentia, viridia, margine spinis longis setaceis, rectis, divaricato-patulis, solitariis, geminis, aut fasciculatim ternatis armata, ad apicem semper trinis approximatis, et tunc tricuspidata. *Flores* numerosi, dispersi, in apice ramlorum subsolitarii v. terni, sessiles. *Involuerum* virens, pubescens, polyphyllum, imbricatum, squarrosum; *squamis* lanceolatis, spinoso-mucronatis, carinatis, inæqualibus. *Receptaculum* punctum villosum. *Flosculi* 5, hermaphroditi, bilabiati, tubo luteo; *labio interiore* bipartito, demùm revolutò, luteo: *laciuiis* lanceolatis, acuminatis, primùm conglutinatis;

conglutinatis; exteriore subrotundo, patulo, albo, subtus concavo, apice tridenticulato. Antheræ appendiculâ lanceolato-attenuatâ, apice obtusulâ, membranaceâ, terminatæ, basi bisetæ: setis linear-i-angustissimis, acutis, simplicibus, ipsâ antherâ brevioribus. Stigma bipartitum: laciniis angustissimis, semicylindricis, apice minutè papillosis, truncatis. Achenia turbinato-trigona, glabra. Pappi radiis paleaceis, linearibus, canaliculatis, apice recurvis, ciliatis, flavicantibus.

*** *Acheniis villosis, pappi radiis apice ciliatis.*

4. T. *glomerulosum*, foliis propriis ovatis: acumine trigono spinoso; secundariis glomeratis muticis, floribus solitariis sessilibus.

Triptilion glomerulosum. *Lag. Amen. Nat.* 1. no. 1.

In Chili summis alpibus Cordilleras de los Andes Hispanicè dictis. *Ruiz et Pavon.* ½.

Planta cæspitosa, suffrutescens. Caules procumbentes, lignosi, rigidissimi, sesqui- v. tripollares, crassitie ferè calami scriptorii, undique glomerulis sphaericis foliorum secundariorum simulque propriis persistentibus muniti, inde tuberculati, hinc spinosi. Folia propria basi latè dilatata, ovata, imbricata, margine membranacea, apice in acumen trigonum, spinâ subulatâ, rigidâ, validâ, rectâ terminatum producta, persistentia; cætera (secundaria scilicet) in capitulis (ramulis abortivis) axillaribus congesta, minuta, ovalia, obtusissima, subtus carinata, margine valdè incrassata, apice recurvata, similiter persistentia. Flores terminales, solitarii, sessiles. Involucrum polyphyllum, undique imbricatum: squamis ovatis, carinatis, margine dilatatis, scarioso-membranaceis, apice spinâ conicâ, validâ, perbrevi armatis, adpressis. Receptaculum densè villosum. Flosculi 5, hermaphroditi, bilabiati,

bilabiati, lactei; *labio exteriore* petaloideo, orbiculato, obtusè tridenticulato, 4-nervio, patulo; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* lanceolato-attenuatis, apice obtusulis, revolutis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ ovato-lanceolatâ, acutâ, membranaceâ terminatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis*, linearibus, acutis, complanatis, simplicibus, ipsâ, antherâ ferè duplò brevioribus. *Stigma* bipartitum; *segmentis* recurvis, apice truncatis, minutè papilloso. *Achenia* trigona, undique villosissima. *Pappi radiis* 3, paleaceis, linearibus, canaliculatis, caducis: *apice* recurvato, ciliato, niveo.

This curious genus agrees with *Proustia*, before described, in the definite number of its florets, in its hairy receptacle, and in its imbricate involucrum; but I have placed it here principally on account of the structure of its pappus, although the difference of this organ is more apparent than real: for the paleæ, which crown the fruit of this genus, are evidently formed by the confluence of innumerable fibres, whose extremities even in this instance are free.

Trib. 2. JUNGIA. *Receptaculum* paleatum, paleis distinctis. *Flosculi* uniformes, bilabiati, hermaphroditi. *Stigmata* soluta, angusta, obtusa, vix papillosa. *Frutices* foliis isaepiùs lobatis, floribus paniculatis.

JUNGIA, L.

DUMERILIA. Lag. et Dec.

MARTRASIA. Lag. Amen. Nat. 1. p. 36.

Involucrum simplex, *Pappus* plumosus!

Involucrum simplici ordine polyphyllum, basi squamulis aliquot munitum: *foliolis* æqualibus, basi callosis: *Receptaculum* paleis distinctis, involucri squamis conformibus copiosè refertum.

fertum. *Flosculi numerosi, bilabiati, hermaphroditi; labio exteriore ligulato, tridenticulato, nunc trifido; interiore bipartito: segmentis linear-lanceolatis, obtusis, revolutis. Anthereæ appendiculæ linear-lanceolatae acutæ cartilagineæ coronatae, basi bisetæ: setis brevibus, acutis, simplicibus. Stigmata soluta, linearia, truncata, pruinosa, non papillosa. Achenia triquetra, papilloso-scabra. Pappus mollis, fugax: radiis simplici ordine digestis, copiosis, imâ basi coalitis, gracilibus, plumosis.*

Frutices (Peruviani) facie peculiari, ferè ad Vitem accedunt.

Folia alterna, petiolata, latissima, multiloba. Flores parvi, lutei v. nivei, saepius terminales copiosissimi. Pappus niveus.

The numerous points of accordance, both in habit and structure, evidently existing between *Dumerilia* and *Jungia*, induced me to suggest the probability of the identity of these two genera, in which opinion I was agreeably surprised to find myself anticipated by Sprengel; but the acquisition by this Society of the Linnæan herbarium has afforded me the opportunity of setting this question at rest by an examination of the specimen of the original species of *Jungia* described in the *Supplementum Plantarum*, which removes all doubt as to their identity. Several capitula being closely associated together at the extremity of the divisions of the panicle, and the presence of small bractææ at their base, have no doubt suggested to Linnaeus the idea of a compound capitulum.

1. *J. ferruginea, foliis subtus densè tomentosis: lobis subæquilibus rotundatis, floribus corymbosis, ligulis revolutis tridenticulatis.*

Jungia ferruginea. Linn. Suppl. p. 390:

In ruderatis et ad margines agrorum in Provinciâ Cantæ Peruvianorum. *Ruiz et Pavon. h.*

Planta fruticosa, subscandens, sarmentosa. *Caulis* ramosus, teres, glaber. *Rami* cylindrici, flexuosi, densè pannoso-tomentosi, fulvescentes. *Folia* remotè alterna, petiolata, 5—7-loba, circumscriptione orbiculato-cordata, suprà pilis brevibus recumbentibus aspera, subtùs venis prominentibus varicosa, tomento albo copiosissimo obruta, holosericea, 2—3 uncias longa, latitudine æqualia: *lobis* rotundatis, repando-crenatis, nunc integerrimis. *Petioles* unciales, teretes, densè fulvescenti-tomentosi, basi crassiore inappendiculati, pennam corvinam crassitie cæterùm æquantes. *Corymbi* terminales, compositi, densè fulvescenti-tomentosi. *Involucra* sphærica, basi bracteolis aliquot linearis-subulatis munita: *squamis* simplici ordine plurimis (15—20) lanceolatis, acuminatis, tomentosis, æqualibus, margine membranaceis, induplicatis, dorso convexis. *Paleæ* plurimæ, lanceolatae, acutæ, membranaceæ, obtusè carinatæ, dorso apiceque nigricante puberulis. *Flosculi* 30 circiter, lutei, hermaphroditi, bilabiati: *labiis* revolutis; *exteriore* elliptico-oblongo, obtusè tridenticulato; *interiore* bifido: *laciiniis* linearibus, obtusis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearis-lanceolatâ acutâ cartilagineâ coronatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis* brevibus, acutis, simplicibus. *Stylus* tenuis, glaber. *Stigmata* linearis-lingulata, truncata, pruinosa. *Achenia* longiuscula, triquetra, papilloso-scabra. *Pappus* fugax, albus: *radiis* tenuissimis, plumosis.

Obs. Rami hujus plantæ ad sarmenta Vitis non paulò referunt. Vulgo *Vingri-Vingri*. Floret Februario et Martio. Flores valdè fragrantes, lutei. *Ruiz* *Mss.*

The *Dumerilia paniculata* of DeCandolle is distinguished from this species by the lobes of its leaves being longer, somewhat acute, and the margin more deeply and abruptly crenated, and finally by the trifid ligulate lip of the corolla, which in this is terminated by three small teeth only.

2. J. spec-

2. *J. spectabilis*, foliis pubescentibus : lobis acutis, floribus radiatis glomerato-paniculatis, ligulis patulis tridenticulatis.

In Guayaquilâ. *Tafalla.* ȝ.

Planta fruticosa, floribus niveis copiosissimis foliisque latissimis viridibus ad florendi tempus ornatissima. *Rami* teretes, obsoletè velutini. *Folia* remotè alterna, petiolata, subrotundo-cordata, 7—9-loba, membranacea, subtùs copiosè pubescentia, reticulato-venosa, suprà minutè papilloso-setulosa, asperiuscula, 3—5-uncialia, tunc ferè spithamæa ; *ultima* plurimùm minora, 5-loba, basi vix emarginata : *lobis* semi-ovatis, mucronulatis, acutè dentatis s. rariùs integerimis ; *intermedio* paululùm majore. *Petoli* bipollicares, teretes, velutini, basi inappendiculati, concavi. *Flores* terminales, copiosissimi, glomerato-paniculati, nivei, pulcherrimi. *Pedicelli* squamulosi, pubescentes. *Bracteolæ* lineares, obtusæ, patulæ, velutinæ. *Involucra* ovalia, insertione depresso-umbilicata : *squamis* simplici ordine digestis, pluribus (10—12) lanceolatis, acutis, leviter pubescentibus, dorso convexis, margine membranaceis induplicatis, basi callosâ subtorulosis. *Paleæ* plurimæ, distinctæ, elliptico-oblongæ, acutiusculæ, obtusè carinatæ, pubescentes. *Flosculi* 21 circiter, bilabiati, hermaphroditi ; *exteriorès* majores, radium constituentibus ; *labio exteriore* elliptico, tridenticulato patulo, nunquàm revoluto ; *interiore* bipartito, revoluto : *segmentis* lanceolato-linearibus, acutis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearî acutâ terminatæ, basi bisetæ : *setis* brevibus, acutissimis, simplicibus. *Stigmata* linearia, revoluta, apice truncata, pruinosa. *Achenia* longiuscula, triquetra, papilloso-scabra. *Pappus* niveus, caducus : *radiis* apice tantùm plumosis.

PLEOCARPHUS.

Involucrum imbricatum. Pappus capillaris.

Involucrum triplici serie *polyphyllum*, *imbricatum* : *squamis lanceolatis*, *acuminatis*, *membranaceis*; *interioribus* sensim *majoribus*. *Receptaculum* paleatum : *paleis* distinctis, *lanceolatis*, *acutis* v. *truncatis* *lacerisque*, *rigidis*, *carinatis*, *margine scariosis*. *Flosculi* plures, hermaphroditi, *bilabiati*; *labio exteriore* ligulato, tridentato, *quadrinervio*, revoluto; *interiore* bipartito; *lacinias* lanceolatis, acutis, *binerviis*, *revolutis*. *Filamenta* gracillima, glabra. *Antheræ* in tubum connatæ, appendiculâ linear-lanceolatâ obtusâ cartilagineâ terminatæ, basi longè bisetæ: *setis* simplicibus. *Stylus* filiformis, glaber. *Stigma* bipartitum: *segmentis* semicylindricis, obtusis, revolutis, minutè papilloso. *Achenia* angusta, pentagona, copiosè papilloso-micantia, scabra: *disco* *epigyno* dilatato, planiusculo. *Pappus* *capillaris*, persistens: *radiis* dupli ordine copiosissimis, denticulis minutissimis scabris, apice paulò crassiore vix penicillatis.

Caulis fruticosus, erectus, ramosus, teres. Rami cylindrici, undique glandulis pedicellatis, copiosè induti, rufescentes. Folia alterna, sessilia, linearia, obtusula, v. mucronulo perbrevi, sèpè aucta, margine revoluta, utrinque glandulis capitatis pedicellatis copiosè vestita; primaria sesqui- v. bipollicaria, basi aliis 2 stipulas mentientibus, sublunatis, semi-ovatis, obtusis, margine exteriore revolutis, persistentibus appendiculata; ramea breviora atque angustiora, basi nuda, attenuata, vix tamen petiolata. Flores lutei, in ramulis pedunculati, solitarii, aut sèpiùs copiosissimi, tunc racemi v. paniculæ modum emulantes. Pedunculi uniflori, teretes, ut cum involucro glandulosi, 4—6 lineas longi. Corollæ nervi longè infra sinus loborum dichotomi, hinc ramis intramarginalibus. *Pappus* *cinereus*.

Nomen

Nomen ad receptaculum crebrè paleatum refert, a πλεος refertus,
et καρφος palea.

1. *P. revolutus.*

In Chili ad Coquimbo. *Caldcleugh.* n.

This curious and well-marked genus has been referred to the *Jungææ*, entirely from its similarity of structure in the parts of fructification: for its habit certainly indicates no affinity to *Jungia*, unless we regard the stipule-like appendages of the leaves of *Pleocarphus* and some species of the former genus as pointing out a connexion.

Trib. 3. POLYACHYREÆ. *Receptaculum paleatum. Flosculi uniformes, hermaphroditæ, bilabiati. Stigmata linearia, truncata, apice papillosa. Achenia difformia. Herbæ foliis pinnatifidis.*

a. PAPPO DIFFORMI.

POLYACHYRUS. *Lag. et Dec.*

Involucella tetrphylla, biflora, in capitulum congregata. *Flosculi* inæquaes. *Pappus* flosculo interiori elongatus, plu-mosus.

Capitulum compositum, globosum, basi squamis aliquot ovato-lanceolatis mucronatis rigidis munitum. *Involucella* plurima, tetrphylla, biflora, paleis ovato-lanceolatis, mucronatis, lanugine interstinctis interjecta: *foliolis* imbricatis, ovali-oblongis, apice emarginato-truncatis, scariosis, colo-ratis, conniventibus; *exteriore* latiore, basi gibbosâ. *Receptaculum* partiale nudum. *Flosculi* singulo involucello gemini, hermaphroditæ, bilabiati, inæquaes (*exteriore* mi-nore); *labio exteriore* ligulato, obtuse tridenticulato, patu-lo; *interiore* profundè bipartito: *laciis* linear-lanceolatis, acutis, spiraliter revolutis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linear-lanceolatâ

lanceolatâ acutâ terminatæ, basi biaristatæ : *aristis* linear-i-lanceolatis, deorsùm attenuatis. *Stigma* bifidum : *lobis* linear-i-cuneatis, truncatis, plano-convexis, minutè papilloso, revolutis. *Achenia* exteriora cuneato-oblonga, papilloso-scabra ; flosculis verò majoribus (interioribus) longiora, subtetragona. *Pappus* difformis ; achenio exteriori brévisimus, setaceus, denticulatus, basi solutâ caducus, fusco-cinereus : interiori verò elongatus, plumosus, niveus, involucellum superans, subpersistens, radiis basi crassiore conferruminatis, apice mucronulo simplici.

Herba habitu omnino Echinopsidis, lanâ niveâ mollissimâ dense obruta. Caulis cubitalis, erectus, ramosus, teres. Folia alterna, basi auriculatâ amplexicaulia, palmaria, runcinato-pinnatifida, vix ultrâ semunciam lata, suprà parciùs lanata : segmentis rhombeo-ovatis, dentatis, margine recurvis, mucronulo reflexo-adpresso terminatis. Capitula sphærica, pedunculata, corymbosa. Pedunculi erecto-patuli, teretes, lanati, pollicares v. sesquipolllicares. Involucella nudiuscula, nitida, sanguineo-colorata. Flosculi rosei.

1. *P. sphærocephalus.*

In Peruviâ. Ruiz et Pavon. ♂.

The capitulum in this genus consists of a congregation of smaller capitula, each containing two flowers. It is precisely analogous to that of *Echinops*, and may be compared to the compound umbel in other plants. Expansion first takes place in the florets of the apex of the capitulum, as Mr. Brown has already remarked in that of the before-mentioned genus. The compound capitulum, the two unequal florets, each of which is furnished with a distinct kind of pappus, sufficiently distinguish this genus from the following.

b. PAPPO UNIFORMI.

GASTROCARPHA.

Involucrum 5-phylum. *Receptaculum* paleatum : *paleis* difformibus ; *exterioribus* cucullatis, basi gibbosâ, apice truncatis cum mucronulo flosculum quasi involucello proprio obvallantibus. *Flosculi* hermaphroditi, bilabiati, æquales. *Pappus* paleaceus, brevissimus, polyphyllus.

Involucrum 5-phylum (nunc 6-phylum) : *foliolis* ovatis, mucronatis, æqualibus. *Receptaculum* paleatum : *paleæ* difformes ; *extiores* 8, periphæricæ, simplici ordine digestæ, foliaceæ, dilatatae, cucullatae, marginibus ciliatis, ferè collapsis, flosculos marginales sigillatim, quasi involucello proprio, inclientes, apice truncatae, mucronuloque instructæ, extùs basi gibbosâ, reticulatim varicosæ ; cæteræ interiores, linear-i-lanceolatae, scariosæ, canaliculatae, apice acuminato simplici, v. bi- aut tri-cuspidato. *Flosculi omnes* hermaphroditi, bilabiati, subæquales (periphæricis paulò majoribus) extùs pilosiusculi ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, tridenticulato, patulo ; *intiore* multò minore, profundè bipartito, revoluto, laciniis linearibus, acutis : *tubo* limbo breviore, apice paululùm dilatato. *Filamenta* capillaria, teretia, glabra, elastica, articulo manifesto. *Antheræ* coalitæ, flavæ, appendiculâ linear-i-lanceolatâ, acutâ, albâ, antheræ ipsius longitudine terminatae, basi longè bisetæ : *setis* simplicibus, attenuatis. *Stylus* filiformis, lævis, basi bulbosus. *Stigma* bipartitum : *lobis* linearibus, compressis, extùs bisulcatis, apice truncato, papilloso-hispidulo, parùm dilatato. *Achenia* difformia : *marginalia* obovata, dorso gibbosa, lævia ; *disci* pentagona, minutè papillosa. *Pappus* uniformis, paleaceus, brevissimus, polyphyllus : *foliolis* lanceolatis, mucronatis,

crispatis, ciliatis, rigidis, simplici serie contiguis, persisten-
tibus, basi solutis.

*Herba erecta, ramosa, virens, copiosè glanduloso-villosa, tempore
florendi formosa, odorem moscho similem redolens; radice
fibrosâ, annuâ. Caulis teres, flexuosus, spithameus v. peda-
lis; in hortis tamen sæpè 5. pedes attingens. Folia alterna,
profundè runcinato-pinnatifida, suprà opaca, subtùs lucida,
bi- v. tri-pollicaria: in hortis sæpè spithamea v. pedalia;
caulinis superioribus basi auriculatâ amplexicaulibus: seg-
mentis lanceolatis, mucronatis, undulatis, lobatis, acutèque
dentatis. Flores diffusè paniculati, pedicellati. Involucrum
foliaceum, virens, hirtellum. Flosculi plures (12—16) sin-
gulo involucro, nivei. Nob. in Sw. Br. Fl. Gard. t. 229.*

1. *G. runcinata.* Nob. in l. c.

Moscharia pinnatifida. Ruiz et Pavon Syst. Veg. Fl. Peruv. et
Chil. 1. p. 186? Gen. p. 103?

[In Chili ad Coquimbo (Caldcleugh), ad Valparaiso (D. Bridges).
◎. (v. v. etiam in hort.)

Whether this be really the *Moscharia pinnatifida* of Ruiz and Pavon I must leave for the present undetermined, as there exists no specimen of it in their herbarium; and the description of the parts of fructification, both in the published account of the genus and also in the manuscripts of Ruiz, cannot be reconciled to *Gastrocarpha*.

Trib. 4. CHÆTANTHEREÆ. Receptaculum epaleatum. Flosculi
diformes; radii fœminei. Antherarum setis subplumosis!
Stigmata crassa, obtusa, partim connata. Herbæ (Chi-
lenses) plerumque caulescentes, floribus solitariis, magnis,
radiatis,

CHÆTANTHERA.

CHÆTANTHERÆ SP., Ruiz et Pavon.

Involucrum polyphyllum, subæquale. *Pappi radiis* capillaceis, simplici ordine dispositis.

Involucrum depresso, multiplici ordine polyphyllum : *squamis* subæqualibus, numerosissimis, foliaceis, perornatè spinuloso-ciliatis ; *intimis* membranaceis, integerrimis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi radii* plurimi, foeminei, bilabiati, staminibus sterilibus ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, obtusè trilobo, 4-nervio, subtùs villosissimo ; *interiore* bipartito : *laciniis* linear-angustissimis, binerviis apice filo longo spirali terminatis ; *disci* hermaphroditi, tubulosi, bilabiati : *labiis* subæqualibus ; *exteriore* obtusè tridentato ; *interiore* ovato, emarginato. *Antheræ* appendiculâ lanceolatâ acutâ terminatæ, basi longè bisetæ : *setis* puberulis. *Stigma* fœmineis bifidum : *lobis* cymbiformibus, obtusis, conniventibus ; hermaphroditis inclusum : *lobis* adpressis, plano-convexis. *Achenia* ovalia, papilloso-micantia. *Pappus* capillaris : *radiis* copiosis, inæqualibus, persistentibus, scabriusculis, simplici ordine dispositis, imâ basi conferruminatis.

Herba radice fibrosâ annuâ. Caulis *spithameus*, erectus, *simplex* v. *rariùs divisus*, teres, pubescens. Folia alterna, sessilia, ferè *uncialia*, latè linearia, spinuloso-ciliata, suprà villosa, subtùs glabra ! uninervia, viridia. Flos terminalis, solitarius, rarò altero lateralî, sessilis. Involucrum virens, magnitudine nucis *Avellanæ* : *squamis*, tanquam foliis, suprà villosulis, subtùs nudis, politis ! lanceolatis, uninerviis ; *intimis* linearibus, mucronatis, maculo atrato, extùs ad apicem, notatis. Flosculi lutei. Pappus fusco-cinereus.

1. C. *ciliata*.

Chætanthera ciliata. Ruiz et Pavon Syst. Veg. Fl. Peruv. et Chil. 1. p. 190. Gen. t. 23.

In Chili collibus et campis versus Guilquilemu oppidum copiosè. Ruiz et Pavon. ♂.

Chætanthera is here limited to the species on which the genus was originally founded by Ruiz and Pavon. It is sufficiently characterized by its involucrum, composed of a series of loose, foliaceous, and nearly equal scales, and by its capillary pappus. A comparison of the leaves and the scales of the involucrum of this plant affords a most satisfactory explanation of the origin of the latter. There being no sample of this plant in the collections of Ruiz and Pavon, the above description has been drawn up from a specimen presented to Mr. Lambert by Mr. Brown.

PROSELIA.

CHÆTANTHERÆ SP., Ruiz et Pavon.

PERDICII SP., Willd.

Involucrum imbricatum. Pappi radiis setaceis, simplici ordine dispositis.

Involucrum triplici circiter serie polyphyllum, imbricatum, campanulatum: squamis adpressis, lanceolatis, mucronatis, integrimis; exterioribus gradatim minoribus. Receptaculum planum, nudum. Flosculi radii plures, fœminei, bilabiati, staminibus sterilibus; labio exteriore ampio, ligulato, 4-nervio, obtuse tridenticulato, subtus sericeo-villosissimo; interiore tenuissimo, bipartito: segmentis primò margine conglutinatis, inde unicum simulantibus, binerviis apice in filo longo, spirali attenuatis; disci hermaphroditi, tubulosi, limbo bilabiati; labio exteriore elliptico, obtuse tridentato; interiore lanceolato, bifido. Antheræ appendiculâ linearî acutâ cartilagineâ

cartilagineâ terminatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis* inæqualibus, puberulis. *Stylus* teres. *Stigma* clavatum, bilobum: *lobis* crassis, obtusis, conniventibus. *Achenia* linear-i-oblonga, ancipi-ti-compressa, tuberculis minutis crystallizatis copiosè ornata. *Pappus* setaceo-pilosus, subpersistens: *radiis* simplici ordine dispositis, denticulis exasperatis, apice attenuatis, basi conferruminatis.

Planta perennis, suffrutescens. Caules *ex eadem radice plures, adscendentes, simplices, teretes, viminei, læves, rigidiusculi, fragiles, palmares v. spithamæi, imâ basi lanuginosi et lignosi.* Folia linearia, supernè paululùm dilatata, subcuneata, spinuloso-dentata, coriacea, rigida, sericeo-villosa, apice tricuspidata, dente medio longiori, uncialia v. sesquiuncialia; radiocalia plurima, erecta, infernè marginibus involutis, penè filiformia, hinc prout petiolata; caulina sparsa, breviora, decidue, ob basin tanquam cum caule articulatam. Flos terminalis, solitarius, sessilis. Involucrum basi foliis nonnullis bracteatum: squamis extùs villosis, apice nigro-coloratis, subinde sphacelatis. Flosculi aurei, extùs quandoque purpurascentes. *Pappus flavo-cinereus.*

Nomen a προσηλιος apricus, quod huic plantæ aptè convenit, propereà in arenosis et campis apricis se delectare videtur.

1. P. *serrata*.

Chætanthera serrata. Ruiz et Pavon l. c. p. 191.

C. Chilensis. Dec. in Ann. Mus. 19. p. 70. t. 3. f. 8. Lag. Amen. Nat. 1. p. 38.

Perdicium Chilense. Willd. Sp. Pl. 3. p. 2118.

In arenosis prope urbem Conceptionis et in Rere provinciâ Chilensium. Ruiz et Pavon. 4.

This genus differs essentially from the preceding by its imbricate involucrum, composed of many unequal, adpressed, entire scales,

scales, and in the structure of its pappus. M. DeCandolle's description and figure of this plant above referred to, are very faithful; but both he and Professor Lagasca, in adopting the name of Willdenow, who had referred it to *Perdicium*, were evidently ignorant of its being the *Chætanthera serrata* of Ruiz and Pavon.

BICHENIA.

Involucrum imbricatum. *Flosculi radii* labio exteriore multinervio! *Pappi radiis* triplici ordine dispositis, apice penicillatis.

Involucrum polyphyllum, inordinate imbricatum: *squamis* lanceolatis, acuminatis, adpressis; *intimis* elongatis, radium aequantibus. *Receptaculum* planum, nudum. *Flosculi radii* plurimi (15—18), ligulati, bilabiati, fœminei, staminibus sterilibus; *labio exteriore* ampio, cuneiformi, obtuse tridentato, coriaceo, glabro, multi-(10 v. 15)nervio; *interiore* exiguō, membranaceo, bipartito: *segmentis* lineari-filamentosis, spiraliter revolutis; *disci* hermaphroditi, tubulatobilabiati: *labiis* longitudine æqualibus; *exteriore* ligulato, obtuse trilobo; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, erectis. *Filamenta* linearia, complanata, nervo medio manifeste subcarinata. *Antheræ* appendiculâ ligulatâ, mucronulatâ, coriaceâ terminatae, basi bisetæ: *setis* ramulosis, plumosis, extremitate simplici, elongatâ. *Stigma* clavatum, bilobum: *lobis* brevissimis, crassis, connivent-i-applicatis, pruinosis. *Achenia* angusta, compresso-tetragona, undique copiosè papillosa. *Pappus* pilosus, subpersistens: *radiis* inæqualibus, triplici ordine digestis, apice penicillatis, leviter plumosis.

Herba perennis, acaulis, cæspitosa, lanâ albâ, villosâ, molli, siccitate lutescente, omnino induta. Folia ferè Pedicularium quarundam, numerosa, radicalia, petiolata, interrupte bipinnatifida,

natifida, suprà demùm nudiuscula ac viridia; bi- v. tri-pollicaria; segmentis primariis remotis, linearibus, obtusè pinnatifido-dentatis, uncialibus, margine parùm revolutis; aliis interjectis, brevissimis, simplicibus, integerrimis s. rariùs unidentatis. Petioli unciales, teretiusculi, basi dilatato-concavi, atque invicem se imbricati. Scapi erecti, cylindrici, simplissimi, uniflori, undique copiosè fulvescenti-lanati, apicemque versus squamis aliquot lanceolatis, acuminatis muniti, crassitie pennæ corvinæ, longitudine palmares, v. spithamæi. Flos terminalis, solitarius, facie et magnitudine Galardiæ bicolori omnino similis, aureus. Involucrum densè lanatum: squamis fuscouscentibus. Pappus niveus.

1. *B. aurea*.

In Chili ad Coquimbo. *Caldcleugh.* 4.

A highly interesting addition to this group, for the discovery of which we are indebted to Alexander Caldcleugh, Esq., F.R.S. and L.S., who amid other more important avocations has not neglected the interests of science during his residence in a part of Chile hitherto but little explored, but has added much to our knowledge of the Chilian Flora, which, as we have already seen, is rich in this department of botany.

I have dedicated this genus to my much-valued friend James E. Bicheno, Esq., F.R.S., the zealous Secretary of this Society, whose merits as a botanist, and whose liberal views in every department of science, justly entitle him to this compliment.

Bichenia is most satisfactorily distinguished by its penicillate pappus, the rays of which are disposed in a triple series, and by the ligulate florets of the circumference being furnished with an indefinite number of nerves, which are from 10 to 15, and apparently all primary, as they are of equal size, traversing in straight parallel lines the corolla from the base to the apex, where they become

become confluent. They occupy the centre of the laciniæ; and, unlike the other plants of this family, there are no vessels terminating in, or branching off from the sinus.

TYLLOMA.

Involucrum imbricatum. Flosculi marginales unilabiati! Pappus capillaris: radiis simplici ordine dispositis.

Involucrum ovatum, polyphyllum, multiplici ordine imbricatum: squamis integerrimis, mucronulatis, lœvibus, coriaceis, adpressis; interioribus oblongis, apice coloratis. Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi marginales pauci, fœminei, unilabiati, vix radiati, obtusè tridentati; disci hermaphroditi, tubulosi, extùs sericeo-villosi, limbo bilabiati: labiis abbreviatis; exteriore obtusè tridentato; interiore bifido, lobis lanceolatis, acutis, erectis. Stamina tubo infra medium inserta: filamenta angusta, complanata, glabra, apice attenuata: antheræ in tubum coalitæ, basi bisetæ: setis longis, ramulosis, subplumosis: appendicula terminalis lanceolato-linearis, acuminata, cartilaginea, antherâ ipsâ brevior. Stylus filiformis, glaber. Stigma clavatum, bilobum: lobis abbreviatis, conniventibus, crassis, obtusis, pruinosis, margine incrassatis. Achenia trigona, papilloso-muricata. Pappus capillaris, deciduus: radiis simplici ordine contiguis, subæqualibus, basi apiceque puberulis.

Herba multicanlis, lanugine laxâ parciùs instructa. Radix ramosa, annua. Caudex brevissimus. Caules procumbentes, cylindracei, purpurascentes, 2—4-unciales. Folia alterna, subsessilia, in apice ramulorum aggregata, cæterùm sparsa, cuneato-lanceolata; limbata, integerrima, complicata, flexuosa, valde coriacea, colore glauco cœrulecentia, utrinque glandulis majusculis, pedicellatis, sparsis munita, subtùs costâ validâ basi valde dilatatâ, hinc carinata, semuncialia; juniora præcipue
suprà

suprà lanigera : limbo recurvato-patulo, circumscriptione cordato, periphæriâ callosâ rotundatâ luteolâ marginato, mucronulo perbrevi corneo apiculato. Flores terminales, solitarii, sessiles, foliis numerosis bracteati. Involucrum longitudine vix ultrâ semipollicare : squamis interioribus apice purpurascens. Flosculi rosei. Pappus niveus.

Nomen a τυλος *callus*, et λωμα *margo*; ob folia orâ callosâ cincta.

1. *T. limbatum.*

In Chili ad Coquimbo. *Caldcleugh.* ⊖.

Trib. 5. PERDICEÆ. *Receptaculum epaleatum. Flosculi difformes; marginales fœminei: stigmatibus semicylindricis, obtusis, sæpiùs lævibus. Antherarum setis plerumque nudis. Herbæ perennes, acaules, scapis plerumque unifloris:*

CHAPTALIA. *Vent., Dec.*

PERDICII SP., *Thunb.*

TUSSILAGINIS SP., *Mich.*

Flosculi periphæriæ fœminei, ligulati, radiati; disci masculi, bilabiati.

Involucrum campanulatum, multiplici serie imbricatum: squamis lanceolatis, acutis, membranaceis, adpressis. Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi in periphæriâ plurimi, fœminei, sæpiùs dupli ordine digesti; extimis elongatis, ligulatis, radiatis (labio interiore nullo v. minimo); interioribus, dùm adsint, conformibus, sed multoties minoribus, ligulis linearibus integrerrimis, labello interiore minimo bidenticulato; disci masculi, tubulosi, bilabiati: labiis revolutis; exteriore tridentato; interiore bipartito: segmentis lanceolatis, acuminatis. Antheræ appendiculâ ligulatâ obtusâ coriaceæ

terminatæ, basi longè biaristatæ : *aristis simplicibus, setaceis.* *Stigma masculis inclusum, clavatum, bilobum ; fœmineis longè exsertum, bipartitum : segmentis brevibus semicylindricis, obtusis, recurvis, undique pruinosis.* *Achenia elliptico-oblonga, ancipiæ-compressa.* *Pappus pilosus, fulvellus, persistens : radiis dupliæ serie digestis, copiosis, creberrimè denticulatis.*

Herbæ (Amer. et Asiat.) acaules, perennes, niveo-lanatæ. Folia simplicia, coriacea. Flores sæpiùs albi.

* *Flosculi fœminei dupliæ ordine dispositi, difformes, labello interiore aucti. Foliis integerrimis.*

1. *C. oblonga*, foliis petiolatis oblongis, involucris hirsutissimis. *Perdicium oblongum.* *Herb. R. et P.*
In Peruviæ alpibus prope Panao. *Ruiz et Pavon.* 4.

Herba cæspitosa. Radix crassa, præmorsa, fibris numerosissimis, aliis crassis, aliis capillaceis, instructa. Folia longè petiolata, lanceolata, v. elliptico-oblonga, obtusa, coriacea, basi parùm attenuata, margine angusto, revoluto, denticulis semi-ovatis, obtusis, nudis, reflexo-adpressis ornato ; suprà leviter lanuginosa, demùm nuda, costâ latiusculâ, nervis transversis venisque reticulatis instructa, subrugosa ; subtùs lanâ intertextâ, niveâ, siccitate fulvescente, densè vestita ; 2—5-uncialia, unciam v. sesquiunciam lata. Petioli simplices, semiteretes, undique copiosè lanati, 3—6-unciales. Scapus solitarius, teres, validior quàm in cæteris sequentibus, uniflorus, undique lanâ copiosissimâ fulvescente instructus, squamis plurimis, præsertim apicem versus, lanceolatis, obtusiusculis, nudis, nitidis, coloratis munitus, pedalis v. ultrâ. Involucrum campanulato-patens, polyphyllum, imbricatum : squamis lanceolatis, acutis, adpressis,

pressis, sanguineo-coloratis; exterioribus lanuginosis; intimis elongatis, acuminatis, radiatis. *Flosculi* albi; *radii* plurimi, 30 circiter, fœminei, dupli ordine dispositi, linear-ligulati; extimis multoties majoribus, involucri squamis intimis vix longioribus, obtusè tridenticulatis, radium distinctum constituentibus; *labio interiore* minimo, bipartito: *laciniis* angustè linearibus, obtusulis, inæqualibus, rectis; *disci* masculi, tubulosi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* ligulato, obtusè 3-dentato; *interiore* bifido: *laciniis* lanceolato-linearibus, obtusis. *Antheræ* basi bisetæ, appendiculâ linear-ligulatâ cartilagineâ coronatæ. *Stigma* masculis inclusum bilobum, clavatum; fœmineis exsertum, bifidum: *lobis* obtusis, papilloso-pruinosis. *Achenia* elliptica, ancipiti-compressa, glabra: *disco epigyno* dilatato, planiusculo. *Pappus* capillaris, cinereo-fulvellus, denticulis scaber.

2. *C. ovalis*, foliis petiolatis ovalibus, involucris hirsutissimis.

Perdicium ovale. *Herb. R. et P.*

In Peruviâ ad Huassahuassi et Churapallanan. *Ruiz et Pavon. 4.*

Herba cæspitosa. *Radix* compacta, fibris numerosissimis, longissimis, fuscis. *Folia* plura, radicalia, petiolata, ovalia v. subrotundo-ovalia, coriacea, orâ angustissimâ, recurvatâ, denticulis ovatis, obtusis, nudis, adpressè reflexis, costâ mediâ, validâ, nervisque transversis atque venis prope marginem anastomosantibus; suprà demùm calva, viridia, lucida; subtùs densè fulvo-lanata: *basi* transversâ, v. attenuatâ; 2 v. $2\frac{1}{2}$ pollices longa, sesquiunciam lata. *Petioli* semiteretes, simplices, sesquiunciales, undique fulvo-lanati. *Scapus* dodrantalis, erectus, filiformis, uniflorus, undique lanâ fulvâ copiosè vestitus, squamisque nonnullis lanceolatis, obtusis, membranaceis, nudis, adpressis munitus. *Flos* nutans,

nutans, albus. *Involucrum quadruplici circiter serie polyphyllum, campanulatum: squamis lanceolatis, mucronulatis, adpressis, margine apiceque sanguineo-coloratis; intimis radiantibus. Flosculi radii plurimi, fœminei, dupli ordine digesti (serie interiore plurimùm minore); extimis 20 circiter ligulatis, obtusè tridenticulatis; labio interiore minuto, obtusè bidentato; disci masculi, bilabiati: labiis revolutis; exteriore ligulato, obtusè tridenticulato; interiore bipartito: segmentis lanceolatis, attenuatis. Antheræ basi longè biaristatæ, appendiculâ ligulatâ, obtusâ coronatæ. Stigma masculis inclusum clavatum, bilobum; radiis bifidum: laciniis semi-cylindricis, obtusis, recurvis, pruinosis. Achenia elliptica, compressa, glabra: disco epigyno dilatato. Pappus capillaris, denticulis scaber, fulvellus.*

3. C. *rotundifolia*, foliis petiolatis subreniformibus, involucris lœvibus.

In stagnatis altis frigidis Peruviæ ad Pillao. Ruiz et Pavon. 4.

Herba cæspitosa, facie et magnitudine Tussilagini alpinæ omnino accedens. Radix præmorsa, fibris atro-fuscis, longis, crassis instructa. Folia plurima, radicalia, petiolata, nunc subrotunda basi integrâ, nunc cordata v. subreniformia, obtusa, suprà demùm nuda, costâ validiusculâ, nervis obliquè transversis peragrata, indè reticulato-venosa, rugosa, subtùs lanâ niveâ, siccitate fulvâ, copiosè vestita, orâ perangustâ, revolutâ, denticulisque plurimis, obtusis, nudis, reflexo-adpressis munitâ, unguicularia, v. nunc rariùs pollicaria. Petoli filiformes, simplicissimi, lanati, sesqui- v. bi-pollicares. Scapus altitudine maximè varians, nunc tripollicaris, nunc dodrantalis, v. rariùs ferè pédalis, filiformis, solitarius, uniflorus, gracilis, lanâ villosissimâ rufescente, squamis pluribus,

pluribus, lanceolatis, obtusulis, nudis, coloratis, adpressis munitus. *Flos* magnitudine *Tussilaginis prædictæ*, albus, nutans. *Involucrum* polyphyllum, imbricatum, campanulatum: *squamis* lanceolatis, acutis, membranaceis, adpressis, demùm glabris, lucidulis, viridibus, raro sanguineo-coloratis; *intimis* longioribus, radiatis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* *radii* dupli ordine digesti, foeminei, in serie exteriore 20 circiter, ligulati, radium distinctum constituentes, obtusè tridenticulati: *labio interiore* minimo, bipartito: *laciniis* acutis, linearis-angustissimis, inæqualibus, rectis; *interiore serie* consimili, at plurimum minore, discum vix superante; *disci* tubulato-bilabiati, hermaphroditi, fauce dilatati; *labio exteriore* brevi, ligulato, obtusè tridentato; *interiore bipartito*: *laciniis* linearis-lanceolatis, acutiusculis, revolutis. *Antheræ* basi bisetæ: *setis* simplicibus: *appendiculæ* linearis-ligulata, obtusa, subcoriacea. *Stigma* *disci* flosculis bilobum, clavatum, papillosum; radiis bifidum: *laciniis* brevibus, semicylindricis, obtusis, pruinosis. *Achenia* linearis-oblonga, compressa, glabra, apice angustata: *disco epigyno* dilatato. *Pappus* capillaris, fulvellus, denticulis scaber.

** *Flosculi marginales simplici ordine uniformes, fæminei, ligulati, unilabiati!* *Foliis sessilibus, pinnatifidis.*

4. C. *lyrata*, foliis sessilibus lyratis ciliato-denticulatis.

Hieracium stipitatum. *Herb. S. et M.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* 4.

Herba cæspitosa. *Radix* crassa, fibris compluribus longissimis instructa. *Folia* plurima, radicalia, sessilia, in orbem acta, patentia, spathulata, lyrata, membranacea, supra demùm nuda, viridia, subtus densè niveo-tomentosa, margine undulata, denticulisque setaceis copiosè ornata, bi- v. tripollicularia,

caria, sesquipollicem lata : lobis abbreviatis, rotundatis ; terminali ampio, elliptico, mucronulato. *Scapus* solitarius, gracilis, filiformis, lanuginosus, squamis paucissimis linearibus acuminatis munitus. *Flos* minor, albus ? nutans. *Involucrum* 4-plici circiter serie polyphyllum, imbricatum : squamis linearis-subulatis, dein glabratris. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi radii* simplici ordine uniformes, ligulati, fœminei, apice acutiusculo, integro ; *labio interiore* nullo ; *disci coposi*, hermaphroditi, tubulato-bilabiati ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, revoluto, obtusè tridentato ; *interiore* bipartito : *laciniis* linearis-lanceolatis, obtusis, spiraliter revolutis. *Antheræ* basi longè biaristatæ, appendiculâ linearis-angustâ obtusâ terminatæ. *Stylus* filiformis. *Stigma* masculis inclusum, clavatum, bilobum ; *radii sexsertum*, bifidum : *lobis brevibus*, obtusis, pruinosis. *Achenia* oblonga, compressa, pilis brevissimis vestita. *Pappus* pilosus, fulvellus, denticulis scaber.

*** *Involcri squamis ellipticis, obtusis, disco brevioribus. Flosculi marginales simplici ordine dispositi : labello bipartito, spirali. Antherarum setis ramulosis. Stigmatis lobis brevibus. Foliis petiolatis, integris. Eurytis.*

5. C. *heterophylla*, foliis lanceolatis planis dentatis integerrimisve, scapo esquamato, involuci squamis obtusis disco brevioribus.

Onoseris heterophylla. Spreng. Syst. 3. p. 503 ?

In Monte Video. Sello. 4.

Herba acaulis, lanâ adpressâ niveâ obruta. *Folia* plurima, radicalia, erecto-patentia, petiolata, lanceolata, acutiuscula, coriacea, margine obtusè dentata v. integerima, costâ mediâ validâ, venis angulo acuto obliquis, plerumque inconspicuis,

inconspicuis, basi attenuata, utrinque plana, palmaria, vix pollicem lata; *adultiora* lanâ fugaci nudiuscula. *Petioi* bipollicares, canaliculati, supernè angusti, basi dilatati, imbricati et villosi. *Scapus* erectus, filiformis, apice in discum dilatatus, uniflorus, squamis omnino destitutus, spithameus v. dodrantalis. *Flos* erectus, magnus, aureus. *Involucrum* hemisphæricum, triplici ordine adpressè imbricatum: *squamis* ovatis, obtusis, coriaceis; *intimis* oblongis, disco duplò brevioribus! quandoque extimis duabus elongatis bracteas simulantibus. *Flosculi radii* plurimi (17—20), fœminei, elongati, bilabiati, staminibus sterilibus; *labio exteriore* maximo, ligulato, tridentato, coriaceo, nervis secundariis manifestis; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, spiraliter convolutis, primùm margine conglutinatis; *disci* masculi, tubulosi, tubo 5-angulo: *limbo* bilabiato: *labiis* subæqualibus; *exteriore* obtusè tridentato, 4-nervio; *interiore* bipartito, segmentis linearibus, obtusiusculis, binierviis, apice revolutis. *Filamenta* articulo inferiore minutè papilloso. *Antheræ* appendiculâ ligulatâ acutiusculâ cartilagineâ coronatæ, basi bisetosæ: *setis* compressis, basi ramulosis, vix plumosis. *Stylus* 5-angulus. *Stigma* bilobum: *lobis* obtusis, brevissimis, pruinosis. *Achenia* ancipiti-compressa, densè adpressè pilosa. *Pappus* capillaris, persistens, cinereus: *radiis* denticulatis, scabris, dupli ordine digestis, copiosissimis.

Besides the *Chaptalia integrifolia*, which wants the inner lobe to the marginal florets, and consequently agrees in this respect with my second section, *Perdicium piloselloides* of Vahl and *Perdicium tomentosum* of *Flora Japonica* belong also to this genus. This latter species has all the characters of my second section; but *C. integrifolia* having the female flowers disposed in a double series,

series, will constitute perhaps another section. The *Chaptalia maxima* of the *Prodromus Floræ Nepalensis* has been improperly referred by me to this genus, being really a species of *Perdicium*, as constituted by Lagasca and DeCandolle. The *Chaptalia runcinata* of M. Kunth having the centre florets with a regular five-cleft limb appears to belong more properly to the following genus.

ONOSERIS. Dec.

ONOSERIDIS SP., Willd., Kunth.

ATRACTYLIDIS SP., L.

Flosculi periphæriæ fœminei, radiati, bilabiati; disci hermaphroditi, tubulosi: limbo regulari, 5-fido.

Involucrum hemisphæricum, triplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum. Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi radii fœminei, bilabiati, staminibus sterilibus; labio exteriore maximo, ligulato, tridentato; interiore tenuissimo, sæpiùs bipartito, spiraliter convoluto; disci hermaphroditi, tubulosi: limbo regulari, 5-fido: lacinias linearibus, obtusis, binerviis. Antheræ appendiculâ linearî-lanceolatâ cartilagineâ coronatæ, basi bisetosæ. Stigma bilobum: lobis obtusis, pruinosis. Achene ancipiti-compressa, sericeo-villosa. Pappus capillaris, persistens: radiis duplici ordine digestis, denticulato-scapbris.

Herbæ acaules, lanatæ. Scapo simplici v. diviso. Flores sæpiùs purpurei.

1. O. *brevifolia*, foliis subsessilibus ellipticis denticulatis scabris venosissimis, flosculis radii labello interiore indiviso.

In Monte Video. Sello. 4.

Radix præmorsa fibris compluribus prælongis instructa. Caudex brevissimus, fulvo-vilosissimus. Folia subsessilia, humo adpressa,

adpressa, elliptica, obtusa, margine copiosè denticulata, subcoriacea, reticulato-venosissima, rugosa, subtus pilosa, suprà punctis elevatis scabra, utrinque viridia, pollicaria v. sesquipollicaria. *Scapus* rectissimus, filiformis, cubitalis, undique lanâ adpressâ niveâ obiectus, squamis paucis brevissimis adpressis instructus. *Flos* erectus. *Involucrum* hemisphæricum, triplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum : *squamis* lanceolato-linearibus, setaceo-acuminatis, extus lanuginosis ; *intimis* disco longioribus. *Receptaculum* nudum, scabriuscum. *Flosculi* lutei ? *radii* plures, bilabiati, fœminei, singulo ordine dispositi, staminibus sterilibus, radium distinctum constituentibus ; *labio exteriore* ampio, ligulato, obtusè tridentato, 4-nervio ; *interiore* linearì-angustissimo, obtuso, canaliculato, erecto, binervio ; *disci* copiosi, tubulosi, 5-fidi, hermaphroditi : *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, erectis, binerviis. *Filamenta* gracilia, laevia. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearì-lanceolatâ mucronatâ cartilagineâ coronatæ, basi bisetosæ : *setis* ramulosis, subplumosis. *Stigma* utriusque bilobum : *lobis* brevibus, adpressis, obtusissimis, pruinosis. *Achenia* linearia, ancipiti-compressa, sericeo-villosa. *Pappus* capillaris, persistens, sordidè cinereus : *radiis* dupli ordine copiosis, denticulato-scabris.

This genus, constituting an intermediate group between *Chaptalia* and *Leria*, differs from the former in the regularity of the limb of the florets of the disk, and from the latter in the female florets of the circumference forming a distinct radius, and being arranged generally in a single series. The *Onoseris purpurata* of Willdenow, and the *hieracioides* and *speciosa* of M. Kunth, are clearly referable to the genus, and perhaps also the *Chaptalia runcinata*; but I doubt whether any of the other plants hitherto included in it are really species of this genus.

LERIA. Dec.

TUSSILAGINIS SP., L.

Flosculi disci masculi, tubulosi, 5-fidi; marginales fœminei, filiformes: limbo abbreviato.

Involucrum hemisphæricum, triplici v. quadruplici serie polyphyllum, imbricatum: squamis linearibus, acuminatis, adpressis, apice coloratis. Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi disci masculi, tubulosi, 5-fidi: laciñiis æqualibus; marginales fœminei, multiplici ordine numerosissimi, tunc difformes, extimis ligulatis, unilabiatis, inæqualiter tridentatis vix radiantibus; nunc simplici ordine pauciores, cæterisque filiformibus, supernè gradatim coarctatis: limbo parvo, bilabiato: labiis erectis, abbreviatissimis; exteriore tridentato; interiore bipartito. Antheræ basi longè bisetæ, appendiculâ linearì-ligulatâ, subcoriaceâ terminatæ. Stigma masculis inclusum, clavatum, bilobum; fœmineis longè exsertum, bipartitum: laciñiis filiformibus, lævibus. Achenia fusiformia, infernè compressa, 5-costata, apice attenuata. Pappus tenuissimè capillaris, nunc stipitatus: radiis inæqualibus, denticulatis.

Herbæ perennes, niveo-lanatæ. Folia simplicia. Scapi uniflori.

1. L. *nutans*, foliis sessilibus sinuatis, flosculis fœmineis difformibus, pappo stipitato.

Leria nutans. *Dec. in Ann. Mus.* 19. p. 68.

Tussilago nutans. *Linn. Amœn. Acad.* 5. p. 406. *Sp. Pl.* p. 1213.

Dens leonis folio subtùs incano, flore purpureo. *Sloan. Hist.* 1. p. 255. t. 150. f. 2.

Aster primulæ veris folio, flore singulari purpureo. *Plum.* Sp. 14. t. 41. f. 1. (bona.)

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* 4.

Herba

Herba perennis, cæspitosa, acaulis, densè niveo-lanata. *Radix* præmorsa, fibris compluribus, longissimis (5—6-uncialibus), filiformibus, validis, radiculosis. *Folia* plurima, radicalia, impetiolata, spathulata, nunc sinuata, nunc lyrata, margine minutissimè denticulata, membranacea, suprà demùm nuda, viridia, subtùs niveo-tomentosa, infernè angustata, 3—4-pollicaria, nunc spithamæa, unciam v. 2 uncias lata; *lobo terminali* maximo, oblongo, obsoletè mucronulato. *Scapi* plures, filiformes, uniflori, undique copiosè niveo-lanati, palmares v. rariùs dodrantales. *Flos* terminalis, solitarius, nutans, roseus, diametro pollicem v. ultrà adæquans. *Involucrum* hemisphæricum, polyphyllum: *squamis* linearibus, acuminatis, quadruplici circiter serie imbricatis, apice colosatis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi centrales* pauci, masculi, tubulosi, supernè vix dilatati, regulariter 5-fidi; *cæteris* fœmineis, numerosissimis, tenuissimè filiformibus; *extimis* ligulatis, unilabiatis, inæqualiter tridentatis, involucro paulò longioribus, subinde radiatis; *interioribus* limbo parvo biliabiatib: *labiis* abbreviatis, erectis; *exteriore* tridentato; *interiore* bipartito: *laciinis* linearibus, obtusis, erecto-patulis. *Antheræ* basi setis tenuissimis longis auctæ, appendiculâ linearî, obtusâ coronatæ. *Stylus* masculis inclusus: *stigmate* clavato, bilobo, lobis abbreviatis crassis, obtusis, conniventibus; fœmineis longè exsertus: *stigmate* bipartito, segmentis filiformibus, obtusis, recurvis, laevibus. *Achenia* fusiformia, minutè papillosa, basi compressâ, 5-costatâ, apice in stipitem filiformem prodeuntia. *Pappus* subinde stipitatus, tenuissimè capillaceus, fulvellus: *radiis* inæqualibus, minutissimè denticulatis, triplici ordine digestis, copiosissimis..

2. *L. spathulata*, foliis petiolatis integris, flosculis masculis indefinitis.

Cacalia spathulata. *Herb. S. et M.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* 4.

Herba cæspitosa. Folia plurima, radicalia, petiolata, lanceolato-spathulata aut elliptico-oblonga; membranacea, denticulata, suprà demùm calva, viridia, subtùs niveo-lanata, molliissima, 2—3-pollicaria, basi attenuata; juniora margine revoluta. Petoli lineares, plani, membranaceo-alati, pollicares v. bipollicares. Scapi cubitales, subsolitarii, filiformes, uniflori, squamis destituti, undique lanuginosi. Flos nutans. Involucrum polyphyllum: squamis triplici circiter serie imbricatis, lanceolatis, acuminatis, coriaceis, lanuginosis. Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi disci copiosissimi, masculi, tubulosi, 5-fidi, longitudine unguiculares, nervis ad sinum divisis, fauce parùm dilatatâ: laciniis lingulatis, apice nervis marginalibus validis confluentibus incrassatis, obtusis, nervis secundariis recurrentibus ad basin laciniarum usque manifestis! periphæriæ fœminei, pauci, simplici ordine digesti, uniformes, tenuissimè filiformes, bilabiati, non radiati, fauce coarctati: labiis minutis; interiore bifido, laciniis linearibus, revolutis; exteriore ligulam abbreviatam, linearem, obtuse tridentatam constitente. Antheræ basi bisetæ (setis inæqualibus cuspidatis) appendiculâ lineari-ligulatâ, obtusâ, cartilagineâ coronatæ. Stigma masculis bilobum, lobis brevibus, crassis, obtusissimis, minutè papillosis; fœmineis longè exsertum, bipartitum: laciniis semicylindricis, obtusis, lævibus, recurvis. Achenia fusiformia, compressa, pilosiuscula, apice tantùm angustata: disco epigyno dilatato. Pappus capillaris, fulvellus, nec stipitatus: radiis inæqualibus, minutè denticulatis, dupli ordine copiosissimis.

This interesting genus is also allied to the *Inuleæ* and *Cichoraceæ*.

choraceæ. Its entire capitulum may be compared with that of *Gnaphalium*, and its soft stipitate pappus with that of *Lactuca*, thus showing that the genus is to be regarded as constituting an osculant group between the three families. The modification of the apex of the achénium proves that the stipitate pappus is not a character of generic importance in *Leria*.

Trib. 6. DIAZEUXEÆ. *Receptaculum* subpaleatum. *Flosculi* (raro dioici !) *disci* hermaphroditi, tubulosi, 5-dentati ; *radii* ligulati, fœminei, nunc bilabiati. *Antherarum setis* nudis. *Plantæ* sœpè fruticosæ, *capitulis* plerumque solitariis, magnis, pedunculatis.

DIAZEUXIS.

ATRACTYLIDIS SP., L.

ONOSERIDIS SP., Willd.

Flores dioici ! *Receptaculum* alveolatum.

Flores dioici ! *Involucrum* sphæroideum, multiplice serie imbri-
catum : *squamis* innumeris, lanceolatis, acuminatis, coria-
ceis, rigidis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* alveolatum : *alveolis* margine laciniato-fimbriatis. *Flosculi* masculi creberrimi, cylindrico-tubulati, 5-nervii, limbo 5-fidi : *laciniis* linearibus, obtusis, canaliculatis, recurvato-patulis, nervis pro-
minentibus apice confluentibus, hinc margine apiceque incrassatis : *ligulis* plurimis, accessoriis, patulis, substantiâ coriaceis, obtuse trilobis, 6-nerviis (nervis per paria lacini-
arum discum occupantibus, paribus intermediis magis ap-
proximatis) nunc neutris unilabiatis, nunc pistillo (an sterili?) staminum rudimentis, labioque interiore simplici, angustissimo, canaliculato, obtuso, binervio, coriaceo, recurvato,
basi dilatato auctis ; *fœminei* copiosissimi, filiformes, 5-nervii, coriacei, basi callosâ, difformes ; *centrales* limbo æquali,
5-partito ;

5-partito; *marginales* non radiantes, limbo irregulari, ob laciniam quintam (interiorem) profundiùs sejunctam, indè quasi bilabiati: *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, subsecundis, canaliculatis, nervis prominulis, summo apice confluentibus. *Filamenta* linear-i-angustissima, compressa, glabra. *Antheræ* semi-exsertæ, in tubum connatæ, appendiculâ linear-i-lanceolatâ, obtusâ, coriaceâ, rigidâ, ipsâ antherâ breviore coronatæ, basi longè biaristatae: *aristis* linearibus, setaceo-acuminatis, canaliculatis, antherâ longioribus, æqualibus. *Stylus* filiformis, basi bulbosus. *Stigma* masculis pentagonum! obtusum, indivisum; ligulis tereti-clavatum, læve, exsertum; fœmineis bipartitum, exsertum: *lobis* linear-i-lingulatis, obtusis, pruinosis, persæpè spiraliter convolutis. *Achenia* linear-i-oblonga, compressa, glaberrima. *Pappus* masculis cinereus, caducus: *radiis* inæqualibus, paleaceo-setaceis, complanatis, longissimis, denticulis spinulosis exasperatis, apice acuto, nunc subpenicillato, infrâ medium flexuosis, simplici tantùm ordine digestis; fœmineis capillaris, persistens, albus: *radiis* tripli serie confertissimis, denticulato-scabris, longioribus basi latiore subpaleaceâ.

Frutices niveo-lanati. Folia alterna, petiolata, integra. Flores terminales, plerumque solitarii, sessiles, magni, purpurei, cernui.

Nomen a διαζευξι separatio, et generi huic imposuit, ob flores raros esse dioicos in hac familiâ.

This is without doubt the most remarkable genus of the whole family. It is dioecious, and, in the structure of the capitula and pappus of the male and female flowers, it differs as much as *Antennaria*. The male capitula are very much smaller, and besides the male florets of which they are composed, there is a single series of ligulate florets, either with or without pistilla,
and

and having imperfect stamens. The florets of the female capitulum differ in the disposition of their laciniae; for in the central ones the limb is regularly five-cleft, whereas in those of the circumference it is somewhat bilabiate, the inner segment being more deeply separated than the rest. The two sexes of this plant might be readily mistaken for two distinct genera. The *Atractylis mexicana* of Linnæus I have ascertained to be the male sex of a third species of this genus. Of this interesting plant, for which I propose the name of *Diazeuxis Mutisiana*, I have had an opportunity of examining the original sample in the Linnæan herbarium.

1. D. *trinervis*, foliis lanceolatis acuminatis triplinerviis, floribus solitariis.

Aster trinervis. Herb. R. et P.

In Guayaquilâ Peruvianorum. *Tafalla. ½.*

Frutex erectus, ramosus, niveo-lanatus, semperfurens, omnium speciosissimus. *Rami* teretes, striati, lanugine albâ fugaci vestiti. *Folia* alterna, breviter petiolata, lanceolata, acuminata, margine denticulis plurimis acutis ornata, nunc rarò integerrima, 5-nervia, nervis lateralibus extimis ferè obsoletis, hinc quasi triplinervia, membranacea, basi obtusâ, suprà denudata, lætè viridia, et lucida, subtùs lanâ implexâ copiosissimâ niveâ, demùm fulvescenti, vestita, 3—5-pollicaria, pollicem v. sesquipollicem lata. *Petioli* suprà canaliculati, 2—3 lineas longi, basi paulò dilatati. *Flores* terminales, solitarii, sessiles, nutantes, purpurei; *fæminei* magnitudine et facie ferè *Cnici centauroides*, diametro 2-pollicares; *masculi* triplò minores. Cætera omnino ut in charactere generico.

2. D. ? ser-

2. D. ? *serrata*, foliis ovato-lanceolatis acutis dentato-serratis
penninerviis, floribus glomeratis.

Carduus mitis. *Herb. S. et M.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocino.* ½.

Frutex erectus, ramosus. *Rami* sulcato-angulati, undique omnino albo-lanati. *Folia alterna*, brevissimè petiolata, spithamea, ovato-lanceolata, acuta, dentato-serrata, dentibus triangulari-ovatis, mucronatis, leviter antrorsum uncinatis, aliis minimis interjectis, penninervia, nervis obliquè transversis, costâque mediâ validâ prominentibus, suprà demum calva, viridia, punctisque elevatis copiosissimis asperiuscula, subtus lanâ albâ densè implexâ copiosissimè vestita, 5—7-pollicaria, 2—3 uncias lata, basi acutâ integerrimâ. *Petoli* crassi, brevissimi, vix sesquilineam longi. *Flores terminales*, plures (5—10), sessiles, glomerati. *Involucra* globosa, densè lanata: *squamis* multiplici ordine lanceolatis, acuminatis, rigidis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* planum, scrobiculatum, angulis elevatis, acutis exasperatum. *Flosculi* perfecti nondum observati: *pappo* setaceo, scabro.

Having only seen specimens of this with the capitula in a very young state, it has been placed here solely from the habit of the plant itself and from the structure of its involucrum. What relates to the florets still remains undetermined.

CENTROCLINIUM.

Receptaculum aculeatum. *Flosculi* *disci* tubulosi, hermaphroditi; *radii* ligulati, fœminei.

Involucrum subglobosum, multiplici ordine imbricatum: *squamis* lanceolatis, acuminatis, coriaceis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* aculeatum: *aculeis* subulatis, callosis, rigidis, brevibus, in circulis plurimis dispositis. *Flosculi* *disci* hermaphroditi, tubulosi,

tubulosi, æquales, 5-dentati, latere interiore profundiùs fissi, hinc limbus perinde obliquus : *segmentis* lanceolato-linearibus, obtusis, erectis, nervis primariis validis, apice confluentibus, inde incrassatis ; *radii* fœminei, plures (10—14), rudimentis staminum omnino destituti, bilabiati ; *labio exteriore* (ligulâ) longissimo, obtusè trilobato, coriaceo, subtùs lanato, 6-nervio, nervis per paria utriusque lobi discum occupantibus, strictis, parallelis, apice confluentibus ; *interiore* profundè bipartito, membranaceo, spiraliter revoluto : *segmentis* linearì-filamentosis, margine primùm conglutinatis. *Filamenta* glandulosa. *Antheræ* basi aristis 2 longis, attenuatis, munitæ, appendiculâ lanceolato-lineari, acutâ, coriacea, rigidâ coronatae. *Stylus* filiformis, basi depresso-bulbosus. *Stigma* hermaphroditis bilobum : *lobis* lingulatis, minutè papillosis ; fœmineis tereti-clavatum (*lobis* primò arctè applicatis), pruinosum. *Achenia* pentagona, demùm glabrata.. *Pappus* fuscescens, basi fulvus ; *radiis exterioribus* brevibus, pilosis ; *interioribus* dupli serie longissimis, setaceis, supernè dilatato-complanatis, denticulatis, deciduis.

Frutex ramosissimus, sempervirens, candidissimus. Rami teretes.

Folia alterna, petiolata, lanceolata, acuminata, dentata, coriacea, penninervia, nervis obliquè transversis, suprà demùm nuda, viridia, polita, subtùs copiosè ut et rami niveo-tomentosa, mollissima, basi cuneatâ, integerrimâ, sesqui- v. nunc ferè tripllicaria, unciam, aut et dimidium ad medium lata. Petioli semicylindrici, 2 v. 3 lineas longitudine æquantes. Flores purpurei ? solitarii, longè pedunculati. Pedunculus cylindricus, primò quasi terminalis, sed prodeunte ramulo revera lateralis, 5—10-uncialis. Radius pollicaris.

Nomen a κεντρον stimulus, et κλινη lectus, et ab ipso receptaculum

culum spinulosum, hujus stirpis optimum characterem constituenta, designare volui.

The *Onoseris salicifolia* of M. Kunth may possibly belong to this genus; but not having had an opportunity of examining a sample of it, I am unable to determine this point at present. It cannot belong to *Onoseris*, which has the habit of the *Perdiceæ*, and with which tribe the genus must be associated.

1. *C. albicans.*

Hieracium albicans. *Herb. R. et P.*

In Peruviâ. *Ruiz et Pavon.* 5.

CHÆTACHLÆNA.

Receptaculum favosum. *Flosculi disci hermaphroditi, tubulosi, 5-dentati; radii fœminei, ligulati.*

Involucrum semiglobosum, polyphyllum: squamis numerosissimis, quadruplici circiter serie imbricatis, lanceolatis, in setam longam, recurvato-patentem prodeuntibus. Receptaculum favosum, dentato-scabrum. Flosculi radii plures, fœminei, ligulati, unilabiati, trilobati, 6-nervii (nervis per paria discum laciniarum occupantibus) fœminei? staminum rudimentis; disci hermaphroditi, tubulosi, 5-dentati, tubo infra medium angustiore, fauce cylindricâ, latere exteriore profundiùs fissi: nervis 5 primariis ad laciniarum sinus divisus: dentibus linearibus, obtusis. Antheræ appendiculâ linearî-lanceolatâ, acutiusculâ, coriaceâ coronatae, basi setis 2, longis, tenuissimis, simplicibus munitæ. Stigma hermaphroditis inclusum, emarginatum, obtusum; fœmineis exsertum, magnum, indivisum, clavatum, pruinosum. Achenia cuneato-oblonga, pilosiuscula. Pappi radiis persistentibus, triplici ordine digestis, copiosis; interioribus compressis, rigidis, serrulatis; extimis brevissimis, pilosis.

Herba

Herba annua, niveo-lanata, facie Cryptostemmatis calendulacei.

Radix longissima, descendens, fulvella, fibris plurimis, capillaceis munita. Caules plures, procumbentes, simplices v. divisi, palmares aut spithamæi. Folia alterna, petiolata, ovata, mucronata, sinuato-dentata, nunc sublyrata, dentibus inæquilibus, mucronatis, distantibus, membranacea, maximè fragilia, triplinervia, subtùs densius lanata, mollissima, pollicaria v. sesquipolicaria, semunciam v. unciam latitudine æquantia; radicalia longius petiolata. Flores solitarii, longè pedunculati, pulcherrimi, odorati; diametro sesqui-unciales. Pedunculi filiformes, uniflori, assurgentis, nunc ex ipsâ radice ortum ducentes, stricti, palmares v. spithamæi, lanuginosi, squamulâ unicâ setaceâ muniti. Radius atropurpureus, vix semuncialis. Discus pallidior. Pappus cinereo-fulvellus.

Nomen a χαῖτη seta, et χλαινα involucrum.

1. C. *odorata*.

Leysera *odorata*. *Herb. R. et P.*

In Guayaquilâ Peruvianorum. *Tafalla.* ⊖.

Chætachlæna is intimately allied to the preceding genus; the structure of the florets and pappus proves this most satisfactorily; and the elongated almost cirrhose points of the scales of the involucrum compared with the tendrils of the leaves of *Mutisia*, as well as the woolly habit of the plant, and the general resemblance of the flower, appear to me to indicate considerable affinity to that genus. The leaves of this genus and of *Mutisia lanata* are extremely fragile in the dried state.

EUTHRIXIA.

Receptaculum scrobiculatum. Flosculi disci hermaphroditæ, tubulosi, 5-dentati; radii fœminei, bilabiati.

Involucrum campanulatum, polyphyllum, basi attenuatum: squa-

mis quadruplici circiter ordine imbricatis, obtusis, membranaceis, margine scariosis. Receptaculum depresso, scrobiculatum. Flosculi disci numerosi, hermaphroditi, tubulosi, basi angustati : limbo obtusè 5-dentato, subæquali ; dentibus 2 exterioribus majoribus, profundiùsque sejunctis : nervis primariis ad sinum laciniarum bifidis, ramis marginalibus : radii plures, foeminei, bilabiati, staminibus sterilibus ; labio exteriore ligulato, elliptico-oblongo, 4-nervio (nervis extimis longè intramarginalibus) apice obtusè tridentato ; interiore linearì-angustissimo, recto, acutè bidentato. Antheræ appendiculâ linearì-lanceolatâ acutâ, cartilagineo-membranaceâ coronatæ, basi setis 2, longis tenuissimis, puberulis ipsâ antherâ longioribus munitæ. Stigma clavatum, bilobum : lobis obtusis, conniventibus, minutè papillosum. Achenia linearì-oblonga, compressa, punctis elevatis, crystallinis copiosè ornata : disco epigyno parùm dilatato, concavo. Pappus pilosus, persistens : radiis simplici ordine contiguis, æqualibus, tenuissimè denticulatis.

Herba erecta, ramosa, *tenuella*, *fragilis*, *palmaris v. spithamea*, omnino glaberrima, radice fibrosâ, annuâ. Rami elongati, erecto-patentes, filiformes, purpurascentes, nitiduli, virgati, rigidiusculi, foliosi. Folia alterna, sessilia, linearì-subulata, mucronulata, subcarnosa, glabra, subtùs convexa, suprà concava, margine glandulosa, basi adpressâ remanenti, semuncialia v. parùm ultra ; superiora sensim breviora, et in foliolis involucri abeuntia, nunc rarò semipollicem longa. Flores terminales, pro ratione plantæ magni, solitarii, v. pauci laxè corymbosi, sessiles. Involucrum semipollicare, omnino lave : squamis scarioso-membranaceis, nitidis, nunc purpurascensibus. Flosculi aurei. Pappus niveus.

Nomen ab *eu benè*, et *θριξ capillus* (i. e. benè comatus), et ad pappum refert.

1. E. sal-

1. *E. salsolooides.*

In Chili. Ruiz et Pavon. ♂.

The naked receptacle, the rays of the pappus disposed in a simple series, and the habit of the plant itself, readily distinguish this genus from the rest of this group.

Trib. 7. MUTISEÆ. *Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi difformes : disci tripartito-bilabiati. Antherarum aristis subplumosis. Stigmata obtusa, pruinosa, partim connata. Frutices sæpè scandentes, foliis apice cirrhosis !*

MUTISIA, L.

Involucrum polyphyllum, multiplici serie imbricatum : squamis latis, integerrimis. Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi radii foeminei, ligulati : ligula ampla, multinervia (nervis 10 v. 15 parallelis, nunc supernè dichotomis, extimis longè intra-marginalibus), apice tridentata, fauce sæpè ad interiùs dentibus (labello interiore) accessoriis linear-setaceis munita ; disci masculi : tubo 10-nervio : limbo altè tripartito-bilabiato ; labio interiore bipartito, revoluto, segmentis binerviis ; exteriore multò majore, ligulato, 8-nervio (nervis alternis secundariis prope apicem omnino oblitteratis) obtusè tridenticulato. Antheræ omnino exsertæ, in tubum connatae, appendiculâ longissimâ, linear-ligulatâ, obtusâ, coriacea terminatae, basi biaristatae : aristis prælongis, pubescentibus, subplumosis. Stylus basi callosus. Stigma bilobum : lobis obtusis, pruinosis. Achenia linearia, compresso-quadrangula, glabra : disco epigyno parùm dilatato. Pappus deciduus : radiis validis, compressiusculis, filamentoso-plumosis, simplici ordine copiosis, contiguis : villis mollissimis, caducis.

Frutices

Frutices (Amer. Austr.) scandentes, Vicias facie æmulantes. Folia alterna, pinnata v. simplicia, apice cirrho (foliolis abortivis aut costæ elongatione) pinnatè partito v. simplici, spirali instructa! Flores solitarii, magni, speciosi, purpurei v. lutei.

The presence or absence of the labellum in the rays is evidently a character of no importance in this genus. Its mutability even in species otherwise intimately allied, shows that it cannot be employed with advantage as a sectional distinction; and in those species where it is less developed, I hardly think it of specific importance. The younger Linnaeus in his description of *Mutisia Clematis* appears to have mistaken the two lobes of the labellum for the rudiments of stamens. Humboldt and Bonpland have represented and described their *Mutisia grandiflora* (*Pl. Eq. i. t. 50.*) as having the florets of the disk tubular, and equally five-toothed. This is clearly an error, for the origin of which it is difficult to account, as we know of no species with a similar structure; and indeed this character, if really present, would alone be sufficient to justify its removal from *Mutisia*: but its evident affinity to *M. Clematis*, which would also have led us to expect the presence of an interior labellum in the rays, induces us to reject this opinion, and to regard the description and figure in the *Plantes Equinoxiales* as erroneous in these respects. I am not satisfied that this is really distinct from *M. Clematis* of the *Supplementum Plantarum*, as the sample of the latter preserved in the Linnæan herbarium appears to approach very near to it, even as regards the size of the flower, which is erroneously compared by the younger Linnaeus to the *Dianthus caryophyllus*. They both agree in having the leaflets on distinct footstalks, which the plant of Cavanilles appears to want entirely. This last being from Peru, may prove to be a distinct species. The most remarkable character in *Mutisia* is the number of vessels in

in the corolla, which are from 10 to 15 in the florets of the circumference, and 10 in those of the disk. These vessels are generally of the same thickness, and all originate from the base; but in the exterior lip of the centre florets, where they are eight in number, the alternate ones are more slender, and disappear before they reach the apex of the laciniae. The number of vessels is uniform in the nine species here enumerated, and there is every probability of its being general throughout the rest of the genus. This character and the pubescent setæ of the antheræ show an intimate affinity between *Mutisia* and *Bichenia*, before described.

* *Foliis pinnatis.*

1. *M. lanata*, niveo-lanata; foliis 7-jugis, involucris subrotundis: squamis appendiculatis cirrhosis, radiis copiosis bilabiatis, caule alato.

Mutisia lanata. *Ruiz et Pavon Syst. Veg. Fl. Peruv. et Chil.* p. 192. *Gen. Pl. t. 23.*

In Peruviae nemoribus prope Muna vicum in Pozuzo viâ.
Ruiz et Pavon. h.

Planta fruticosa, scandens, copiosè niveo-lanata. Caules angulati, plerumque 4-anguli, alati: alis foliaceis, retrorsum dentatis, dentibus triangulari-lanceolatis, acutis. Folia alterna, sessilia, pinnata, palmaria v. spithamea: rachis subtus convexa, supra canaliculata, margine alata, basi dilatata: pinnis 6—7-jugis, lanceolatis, obtusiusculis, integerimis, planis, subtus densè lanatis, supra hinc nudiusculis, nunc (præsertim in junioribus) lanatis, basi latâ decurrentibus, 2 v. $2\frac{1}{2}$ -pollicaribus, semunciam v. ultra latis; imis 2 stipulas mentientibus, caulem amplexantibus. Cirrhi (foliola abortiva) pinnatè partiti: segmentis (3—5) filiformi-compressis,

compressis, obtusis, spiraliter revolutis. *Flores terminales*, solitarii, magni, omnium formosissimi, pedunculati, diametro ferè 3 pollices adæquantes. *Pedunculi* spithamæi, cylindrici, pennâ corvinâ parùm crassiores, apicem versus foliolis simplicibus cirrhosis muniti. *Involucrum* amplum, subrotundum, truncatum, longitudine et latitudine 2 uncias adæquans : *squamis* ellipticis, adpressis, latissimis, membranaceis, appendice (præsertim in exterioribus) sæpè pollicari, lanceolatâ, longissimè subulato-acuminatâ, apice obtusâ, cirrhosâ, revolutâ auctis ! hinc squamæ involucri, ut omnibus appareant, tantùm folia sunt mutata. *Receptaculum* planum, nudum. *Flosculi radii* plurimi (18—20) atro-sanguinei, fœminei, staminum rudimentis, bilabiati ; *labio exteriore* ligulam amplam, bipolllicarem, 3 lineas latam, subtùs lanatam, obtusè tridentatam, dependenti-patulam constitente ; *interiore* profundè bipartito : *laciniis* setaceis, apice bidentatis revolutis ; *disci* creberrimi, hermaphroditi, tubulati, tripartito-bilabiati : *labiis* revolutis ; *exteriore* linear-ligulato, obtusè tridentato ; *interiore* bipartito : *laciniis* linearibus, obtusis : *nervis primariis* validis. *Filamenta* angustè linearia, complanata, glabra, libera. *Antheræ* in tubum connatae, nervo manifestissimo instructæ, basi bi-aristatae : *aristis* unguicularibus, infernè attenuatis, basi ramulosis, subplumosis : *appendiculâ* linear-ligulatâ, obtusâ, cartilagineâ, ipsâ antherâ dimidio longiori. *Stylus* filiformis, lævis, basi incrassato-clavatus. *Stigma* bilobum : *lobis* brevibus, crassis, obtusissimis, pruinosis. *Achenia* radiis tetragona ; *disco* oblongo-compressa, glabra. *Pappus* fuliginoso-cinereus, sesquipollicaris, mollissimus : *radiis* valdè plumosis, imâ basi connatis, ramulis demùm deciduis, tunc simplicibus.

2. *M. viciæfolia*, glabriuscula ; foliolis 12-jugis, involucro cylindrico : squamis inappendiculatis, radiis paucis unilabiatis, caule tereti.

Mutisia viciæfolia. *Cav. Ic. 5. p. 62. t. 490.* *Willd. Sp. Pl. 3. p. 2069.* *Lam. Illustr. 6. t. 690. f. 2.*

In Chili prope Valparaiso. *Ludovicus Née, Ruiz et Pavon.* ½.

Planta fruticosa, scandens, Viciis quibusdam facie ferè similis.

Caules teretes, rubri, striati, tenuissimè pubescentes. *Folia* alterna, sessilia, pinnata, 3—4-uncialia : *rachi* teretiusculâ, pubescenti, margine superiore angustè alatâ : *foliolis* plurimis (10—13-jugis) ellipticis lanceolatisve, acuminatis, inæquilateris, glabris, semunciam v. nunc ferè pollicem longis. *Cirrhi* pinnatè partiti : *lacinias* 3—5, subulatis, obtusiusculis, revolutis, semuncialibus. *Flores* in dichotomiis solitarii, longè pedunculati. *Pedunculi* cylindrici, striati, minutè pubescentes, 3—5-unciales, apice incrassati. *Involucrum* tubulato-cylindricum, læve, bipollicare : *squamis* latissimis, integerrimis, lèvissimis, adpressis, nudis, nec appendiculatis ; *extimis* brevissimis, ovatis, acutis ; *interioribus* oblongis, mucronulatis ; nunc in juventute lanigeris. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* radii pauci (6—8), fœminei, atropurpurei, unilabiati, ligulâ oblongâ, patenti, obtusè tridenticulatâ, subtùs glabrâ, involucro duplò breviore, rudimentis staminum nullis ; *disci* hermaphroditi, pallidiores, plures (16—17), tubulosi, tripartito-bilabiati : *labiis* erectis ; *exteriore* trifido, lobis linear-lanceolatis, obtusis ; *interiore* bipartito, laciñis linearibus, obtusiusculis : *nervis primariis* validis. *Antheræ* biunciales, appendiculâ lineari, acuminatâ, unguiculari coronatæ, basi longè biaristatae : *aristis* complanatis, infernè capillaceo-attenuatis. *Stigma* radiis bifidum, segmentis linearibus, acutis, pruinosis ; *disco* bilobum,

lobum, lobis obtusiusculis, minutè papillosum. *Achenia* radiis quadrangula, glabra; disco compressa, lævia. *Pappus* fulvellus, mollissimus, plumosus.

3. *M. acuminata*, glabra; foliolis multijugis, involucro pyramidali lanuginoso; squamis exterioribus ovatis reflexis, caule teretiusculo.

Mutisia acuminata. Ruiz et Pavon Syst. Veg. Fl. Peruv. et Chil. i. p. 192.

In præruptis, collibus et sepibus Tarmæ et Haurocheri ubique. Ruiz. n.

Planta frutescens, 6-pedalis. *Caulis* scandens, ramosissimus, glaber, fragilis, tereti-angulatus. *Folia* alterna, pinnata, cirrho furcato terminata: *foliola* lanceolata, acuminata, integerrima, glabra, sessilia: *extima* minora, subacinaciformia, leviter decurrentia. *Pedunculi* terminales, foliosi, uniflori, folio oppositi. *Calyx* pyramidalis, ovato-oblongus, imbricatus, lanuginosus, extùs coloratus: *squamis* 24, concavis; *exterioribus* ovatis, reflexis; *interioribus* lanceolato-cuneiformibus. *Corollulæ* plures in disco hermaphroditæ, flammeæ; *fæmineæ* septem in radio, aureæ v. flavæ. *Pappus* plumosus. Ruiz MSS.

OBS. Vulgo *Chinchinculma* nuncupatur. Floret Maio et Julio. Ruiz MSS.

There being no specimen of this species in the Herbarium of Ruiz and Pavon, and as the plant has been only known by the short specific character contained in the work above-quoted, I have thought that the above description, derived from the manuscripts of Ruiz, might not prove unacceptable to my botanical readers.

4. *M. arachnoidea*, lanigera; foliolis subseptemjugis, involucri squamis

squamis ovato-lanceolatis acuminatis, radiis copiosis bilabiatis : ligulis linearibus revolutis.

Mutisia arachnoidea. *Mart. MSS.*

M. speciosa. *Bot. Mag. t. 2705.*

In Brasiliâ ad Rio de Janeiro. *Martius. h.*

Planta suffruticosa, ramosissima, scandens, lanâ cinereâ, copiosâ, fugaci, arachnoideâ vestita, quandoque omnino læviuscula evadit. *Caulis* 5-gonus. *Folia alterna*, sessilia, pinnata, palmaria, patentissima : *pinnæ alternæ*, 12—14, elliptico-oblongæ, obsoletè mucronulatae, integerrimæ, membranaceæ, basi angustatâ substipitatæ, posticibus saepius rotundatis, nec attenuatis, pollicem v. sesquipollicem longæ, 6—8 lineas latæ : *rachis* simplicissima, purpurascens, suprà planiuscula, canaliculata, subtus carinata, apice in cirrum pinnatè partitum, cuius laciniæ filiformes spiraliter contortæ, prodeunte. *Flores* terminales, solitarii, pedunculati. *Pedunculi* erecti, teretiusculi, inde planiusculi, spithamæi. *Involucrum* oblongum, cylindricum, imbricatum, apice paululum coarctatum : *squamis* ovato-lanceolatis, acuminatis, membranaceis, extus præsertim ad oram lanuginosis, nunc omnino glabris ; *exterioribus* patentibus, basi tantum adpressis ; *intimis* oblongis, conniventibus, apice rotundatis, mucronulatis, margine lanuginosis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* *radii* bilabiati, rubri, plurimi (15—20) fœminei, staminibus sterilibus, tubo compressiusculo longitudine involucri : *ligulâ* linearis, tridentatâ, revolutâ, involucro triplò breviore, quandoque bipartitâ ; *labio interiore* paulò breviore, pallido, bipartito, laciniis linearis-angustissimis, spiraliter revolutis, primùm margine conglutinatis ; *disci* hermaphroditi, albi, tubulosi, bilabiati : *labiis* revolutis ; *exteriore* ligulato, tridentato, 4-nervio ; *interiore* bipartito, laciniis linearibus obtusis, binnerviis. *Filamenta* linearia, compressa, minutissimè glandulosa.

dulosa. *Antheræ* in tubum pentagonum coalitæ, appendiculâ linearî, obtusâ terminatæ, basi bisetosæ : *setis* longis, basi ramulosis. *Stylus* filiformis, glaber, basi incrassatus. *Stigma* bilobum : *lobis* brevissimis, obtusis, papillosis, partim connatis. *Achenia* compressiuscula, disco parùm concava, non dilatata, glabra. *Pappi radiis* copiosis, contiguis, plumosis, cinereo-fulvellis, mollissimis.

The appellation of *speciosa* being so truly inapplicable to this species, I have preferred the unpublished one given to it by Dr. Martius. The plant was imported into this country from some continental nursery, where the name of *speciosa* no doubt originated.

** *Foliis pinnatifidis, basi decurrentibus.*

5. *M. retrorsa*, niveo-lanata ; foliis runcinatis, caule tereti.
Mutisia retrorsa. *Cav. Ic. 5. p. 65. t. 498.*
M. runcinata. *Willd. Sp. Pl. S. p. 2069. Hook. Bot. Misc. 1. p. 8. t. 5.*

In Chili (*Ruiz et Pavon*) ; ad Fretum Magellanicum. *Ludovicus Née et P. P. King. n.*

Planta suffruticosa, sesqui- v. bipedalis. *Caulis* scandens, cylindricus, flexuosus, undique lanâ fugaci niveâ copiosè obrutus, demùm nudus. *Folia* alterna, basi decurrenti edentulâ, lanceolata, acuminata, runcinata, coriacea, margine revoluta, subtùs densè niveo-lanata, costâ prominenti, suprà minùs copiosè lanata, et tandem denudata, perlucida, uncialia v. sesquiuncialia, 10 lineas v. paulò ultra lata : *lobis* triangulari-ovatis, spinoso-mucronatis. *Cirrhi* simplicissimi, nunc bipartiti, compresso-filiformes, obtusiusculi, revoluti, glabri, vix unciales. *Flores* terminales, solitarii, subsessiles. *Involutrum* unciale, cylindricum : *squamis* subrotundo-ovalibus, adpressis ; *exterioribus* appendice lanceolatâ, spinoso-mucronatâ,

mucronatâ, ipsâ squamâ breviore, patulâ; *intimis mucronulatis*, margine lanuginosis. *Receptaculum nudum*. *Flosculi lutei*? *radii* plures (8—14) fœminei, bilabiati, staminibus sterilibus; *labio exteriore* amplio, ligulato, obtusè tridenticulato, patulo; *interiore* bipartito, laciniis linearibus, revolutis; *disci* tubulato-bilabiati; *labio exteriore* trifido; *interiore* angustiore, bipartito; utroque revoluto. *Antheræ* basi setis 2, attenuatis, simplicibus, longis aristatæ, appendiculâ linearî, apice inflexâ, cartilagineâ, interiùs carinatâ coronatæ. *Stylus* teres, validus. *Stigma bilobum*: *lobis* brevissimis, crassis, obtusis, conniventibus, pruinosis. *Pappus* plumosus, cinereus, mollissimus.

6. M. *sinuata*, nudiuscula; foliis pinnatifidis basi attenuatis, caule alato.

Mutisia sinuata. *Cav. Ic. 5. p. 66. t. 499. Willd. Sp. Pl. 3. p. 2070.*

In Chili. *Ruiz et Pavon. n.*

Caulis suffruticosus, scandens, flexuosus, alatus: *alis* dentatis, interruptis, quòd basin versus attenuatis, ibique obliteratis, nec continuatis. *Folia* alterna, linearia, pinnatifida, dentata v. grossè serrata, margine revoluta, basi attenuata, decurrentia, subcoriacea, utrinque nunc leviter lanuginosa, tunc (præcipue in *adultioribus*) glabriuscula, pollicaria v. paulò ultra: *lobis* ovatis, mucronatis, retrorsis v. sæpiùs porrecto-patulis. *Cirrhi* simples, subulati, corneo-mucronati, folio di midio breviores, recurvati, vix revoluti. *Flores* terminales, solitarii, sessiles. *Involucrum* cylindricum, vix longitudine unciale: *squamis* subrotundis, adpressis, lævissimis, margine tantùm lanuginosis; *exterioribus* appendice lanceolatâ, acuminatâ, strictâ, glabrâ auctis. *Flosculi* purpurei? *radii* 8, fœminei, ligulati, unilabiati, staminum rudimentis; *disci* plures

plures (15) tubulato-bilabiati, hermaphroditi; *labio exteriore* ligulato, tridentato; *interiore* bipartito, revoluto. *Antheræ* basi longè bisetæ, appendiculâ linearî cartilagineâ coronatæ. *Stigma bilobum*, pruinosum. *Pappus cinereus*, valdè plumosus, mollissimus.

*** *Foliis amplexicaulibus, tantùm dentatis.*

7. *M. ilicifolia*, foliis cordato-oblongis spinuloso-serratis venosissimis, caule teretusculo.

Mutisia ilicifolia. *Cav. Ic.* 5. p. 63. *t. 493.* *Willd. Sp. Pl.* 3. p. 2069. *Hook. Bot. Misc.* 1. p. 7. *t. 4.*

M. spinosa. *Ruiz et Pavon Syst. Veg. Fl. Peruv. et Chil.* i. p. 193.

In Chili copiosè ad Arauco arcem supra Colocolo montem intra fossas (*Ruiz et Pavon*); in summis montibus Chilensisbus Cordillera del Planchon dictis, et ad Cucha-Cucha. *Ludovicus Née*. *Caldcleugh.* 5.

Planta suffruticosa, scandens, nunc lanâ fugacissimâ leviter ornata, tunc glaberrima, glauca. *Caulis* tripedalis v. ultra, teretusculus, foliosus. *Rami* angulati, in plantis adhuc teneris alati. *Folia* alterna, amplexicaulia, conferta, subimbricata, cordato-oblonga, argutè æqualiterque dentato-serrata (dentibus spinulâ rigidâ brevissimâ terminatis) undulata, coriacea, reticulatim venosissima, apice truncata, costâ validâ basi dilatatâ, apice in cirrho simplici, filiformi, mucronulato, spiraliter revoluto productâ, pollicem v. sesquipollinem longa, 8—10 lineas lata. *Flos terminalis*, solitarius, brevissimè pedunculatus. *Pedunculus* squamis aliquot cordatis, coriaceis, denticulatis, apice recurvis munitus. *Involucrum* oblongum, unciale: *squamis exterioribus* appendice ovato-lanceolatâ, acuminatâ, reflexo-patenti, coriacea auctis; *interioribus* latissimis, adpressis, subrotundis, coriaceis, mucronulo

crumulo recurvo, lanuginoso. *Flosculi radii* fœminei, plures (8—10) bilabiati, intus albi, extus purpurei; *labio exteriore* elliptico-oblongo, apice tridenticulato, subtus bicarinato; *interiore* brevissimo, bidentato, nunc simplici v. obsoleto; staminibus sterilibus; *disci* plurimi (20—30) hermaphroditi, tubuloso-bilabiati: *labiis* revolutis. *Antheræ* basi longè bisetæ, appendiculâ linearî obtusiusculâ coronatæ. *Stigma* bifidum: *lobis* recurvatis, apice paulò incrassatis, minutè papillosis. *Pappus* albus, mollissimus, plumosus.

8. M. *truncata*, foliis cordato-oblongis truncatis basi apiceque spinoso-dentatis undulatis subaveniis, caule angulato.

In Chili. *Caldcleugh.* 5.

Planta suffruticosa, scandens, ramosissima, glabra. *Caulis* angulatus. *Folia* remotè alterna, sessilia, amplexicaulia, e basi cordatâ oblonga, lobis posticis truncatis, spinoso-dentatis, conniventibus, apice truncata, emarginata, dentibusque 2, spinosis, subremotis utrinque ornata, marginibus strictis, integerrimis; subcoriacea, rigida, utrinque glabra, glauco-viridia, sesqui- v. bipollicaria, vix unciam lata, venis vix manifestis, costâ utrinque prominulâ lœvi, in cirrhum longissimum (3—4-unciale) filiformem, lœvissimum, apice complanatum, spiraliter revolutum prodeunte. *Flores* terminales et alares solitarii, pedunculati. *Pedunculi* filiformes, unciales, glabri. *Involucrum* cylindricum, pedunculi longitudine: *squamis* subrotundis ovalibusve, adpressis, margine membranaceis; *extimis* appendice lanceolatâ, acutâ, coriacea, patentissimâ auctis; *interioribus* apice obsoletè mucronulatis et lanugine parcissimâ barbatis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi radii* 8 circiter, purpurei, ligulati, fœminei, involucro longitudine æquales, obtusè tridentati, labello interiore obsoleto v. bidenticulato; *disci* hermaphroditi, tubulato-

lato-bilabiati ; *labio exteriore* tridentato ; *interiore* bipartito : *laciniis* linearibus, acutis, revolutis. *Antheræ* basi bisetæ (setis longis basi ramosis) appendiculâ linearî, antherâ ipsâ paulò longiori, apice conniventî, obtusiusculâ terminatæ. *Stigma* bilobum : *lobis* lingulatis, obtusis, pruinosis, sæpè facie interiore applicatis. *Pappus* valdè plumosus, mollissimus, cinereus.

For the opportunity of adding this truly distinct species to the genus *Mutisia* I am indebted to Mr. Caldbleugh, by whom specimens of it as well as of the preceding were transmitted to Mr. Lambert.

9. *M. latifolia*, foliis basi decurrentibus cordato-ovalibus spinoso-dentatis integerrimisve subtùs lanatis, radiis copiosis, caule alato.

In Chili ad Valparaiso. *D. Bridges.* h.

Caulis fruticosus, ramosus, scandens, alatus. *Rami* alati, foliosi : *alis* 3, latis, foliaceis, dentatis. *Folia* conferta, amplexicaulia, cordato-ovalia, coriacea, apice rotundata et emarginata, aut omnino truncata, margine dentato-serrata, undulata, dentibus spinoso-mucronatis, utrinque lanâ fugaci vestita, suprà demùm nuda, viridia, venis siccitate conspicuis, reticulatis, costâ basi latiore, apice in cirrhum longum (3-unciale) compressum, obtusum, spiraliter convolutum prodeunte ; sesqui- v. bipollicaria, pollicem v. sesquipollicem lata : *lobis posticis* productis, rotundatis, sinu baseos decurrentibus. *Flos* terminalis, solitarius, subsessilis. *Involucrum* magnum, cylindricum, unciale, densè arachnoideo-lanatum ; *squamis intimis* simplici ordine dispositis, limbo dilatato, rotundato, membranaceo, margine lanuginoso ; *exterioribus* appendice ovato-lanceolatâ spinoso-mucronatâ, patenti auctis. *Flosculi* *radii* plures (14) rosei, ligulati, spathulato-

spathulato-oblongi, obtusè tridentato, multinervio, labello interiore aucti, hujus laciniæ lineares, erectæ, brevissimæ, staminibus sterilibus; *disci* circiter 30, tubulato-bilabiati: *tubo* 5-angulo: *labiis* revolutis; *exteriore* ligulato, obtusè tridentato; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, revolutis, binerviis. *Stamina* tubo inserta: *filamenta* compressa, pubescentia, apice articulata. *Antheræ* exsertæ, in tubum coalitæ, appendiculâ ligulatâ obtusâ callosâ coronatæ, basi bisetosæ: *setis* longis, compressis, canaliculatis, basi ramosis, nunc rariùs bipartitis. *Stylus* 5-angulus, basi clavatus, glaber. *Stigma* bilobum: *lobis* brevissimis, obtusis, minutè papillois. *Achenia* ancipiti-compressa, leviter quadrangula, glabra: *disco epigyno* dilatato, planiusculo. *Pappus* sordidè cinereus: *radiis* simplici ordine copiosis, contiguis, plumosis, basi dilatatis, apice mucronulatis.

Specimens of this *Mutisia* were collected in the neighbourhood of Valparaiso by Mr. Thomas Bridges, an enterprising young botanist, from whose exertions we may confidently expect many valuable additions to the Chilian Flora. Mr. Bridges informs me that the plant flowers in October, and that the rays are pink.

**** *Foliis simplicibus, integerrimis.*

10. M. *inflexa*, foliis deflexis perangustis cirrhosis, involucri squamis appendiculatis.

Mutisia inflexa. *Cav. Ic.* 5. p. 65. t. 496. *Willd. Sp. Pl.* 3. p. 2070. *Hook. Bot. Misc.* 1. p. 9. t. 6.

M. *subulata*. *Ruiz et Pavon Syst. Veg. Fl. Peruv. et Chil.* i. p. 193.

M. *linearifolia*. *Hook. l. c.* p. 11. t. 8. non *Cav.*

In Chili in sylvis arenosis prope urbem Conceptionis (*Ruiz et Pavon*); ad Valparaiso et Cucha-Cucha. *Ludovicus Née.* 5.

Caulis suffruticosus, scandens, teres, flexuosus, ramosissimus, ut

et tota planta lanâ fugacissimâ leviter instructus, cortice cinereo laevi obductus, altitudine maximè varians, nunc altissimus, sæpè 12-pedalis! *Ramuli* foliosi, tortuosi, angulati. *Folia* (laricina) alterna, sessilia, conferta, linearis-an-gustissima, coriacea, glabra, lætè viridia, nunc leviter lanuginosa, margine revoluta, integerrima, apice cirrho brevi trilineari v. unguiculari subulato, mucronulato, revoluto in-structa, basi nunc rariùs longè decurrentia; *inferiora* de-flexo-patula; *suprema* erecta, tantùm mucronata; sésqui-v. tripollicaria, quàm lineæ tertiatâ latitudine vix ampliora. *Flores* terminales, solitarii, sessiles. *Involucrum* cylindri-cum, longitudine unciale, demùm lævigatum; *squamis ex-terioribus* appendice lanceolatâ spinuloso-mucronatâ patulâ auctis; *interioribus* ovalibus, obtusis, nudis, adpressis. *Flos-culi radii* sanguinei, plures (8—10), fœminei, staminibus sterilibus, ligulati, subbilabiati; *labello interiore* bidentato, dentibus brevissimis setaceis, nunc rariùs obsoletis v. nullis: *lignum* lanceolatâ, obtusè tridentatâ, involucro vix breviore: *tubo* filiformi, unciali; *disci* plurimi (20—25) hermaphro-diti, lutei, tubulato-bilabiati: *labiis* revolutis; *interiore* bi-partito; *altero* 3-dentato. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearis, apice obtusâ, inflexâ, ipsâ antherâ ferè dimidio breviori coronatæ, basi biaristatae: *aristis* subsimplicibus, sesqui-lineam longis, sursùm latioribus. *Stylus* filiformis. *Stigma* bilobum: *lobis* brevibus, obtusis, pruinosis. *Pappus* cine-reus, mollissimus, plumosus.

11. M. *linearifolia*, foliis erectis linearibus subimbricatis, invo-luci squamis inappendiculatis.

Mutisia linearifolia. *Cav. Ic.* 5. p. 66. t. 500.

M. *linifolia*. *Hook. Bot. Misc.* 1. p. 12. t. 9?

In Chili cum præcedente. *Ludovicus Née*. ½.

Caulis

Caulis erectus, dodrantalis. *Rami* teretes, cortice cinereo lœvi, foliosi. *Folia* duplò latiora, erecta, subimbricata, linearia, glabra, margine revoluta, mucrone recto instructa, uncialia v. sesquiuncialia, lineam v. sesquilineam lata. *Flos* terminalis, solitarius, sessilis. *Involucrum* tubulato-cylindricum, sesquiunciale, tandem lœvissimum : *squamis* ovalibus, obsoletè mucronulatis, dilatatis, margine superiore puberulis. *Flosculi* *radii* 8, purpurei, involucro breviores. *Pappus* albus, plumosus. Reliqua ut in præcedente, ad quam maximè, ut videtur, affinis sit hæc planta ; sed satis discrepat foliis erectis duplò latioribus non cirrhosis, involucro longiore squamis inappendiculatis, atque ligulis brevioribus.

Trib. 8. BARNADESEÆ. *Receptaculum* paleaceo-villosum. *Flosculi* difformes v. regulares, 5-partiti. *Filamenta* nunc monadelpha ! *Antheræ* basi quandoque muticæ ! *Stigmata* crassa, conniventia, papilloso-pruinosa. *Frutices* *erecti*, *foliis* *integerrimis*.

BARNADESIA, L.

DIACANTHA. Lag.

BACASIÆ SP., Ruiz et Pavon.

Flosculi *radii* bilabiati, hermaphroditi ; *disci* masculi, tubulosi. *Pappus* difformis.

Involucrum oblongum, basi ventricosum, multiplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum : *squamis* mucronatis, integerrimis, cartilagineis ; *intimis* elongatis, radiantibus. *Receptaculum* paleis tenuissimis, capillaceis, longis, membranaceis, acutis, muticis, spiraliter tortuosis copiosissimè vestitum. *Flosculi* dissimiles ; *disci* paucissimi (1—3) masculi, tubulati, 5-fidi, basi callosâ, genitalibus omnino inclusis : *nervis primariis*

validis, infrà laciniarum sinus profundè bipartitis; *secundariis* per paria interjectis, tenuioribus, ultra medium corollæ obscurioribus, demùm evanescentibus; *periphæriæ* plurimi (10—20) hermaphroditi, bilabiati, unicâ serie digesti, radiati, tubo longissimo, filiformi; *labio exteriore* ampio, ligulato, patulo, 4—5-fido, 5—6-nervio; *interiore* tenuissimo, subsetaceo, canaliculato, indiviso, uninervio. *Filamenta* in tubum cylindricum connata! membranacea, intùs villosa, nervo manifesto medium cujusque percurrenti; nunc rariùs omnino libera. *Antheræ* coalitæ, appendice linear-lanceolatâ apice uncinatâ obtusâ cartilagineâ coronatæ, valvulis in filamentis decurrentibus, hinc basi simplices, muticæ. *Stylus* hermaphroditis teres, glaber; masculis subclavatus, pentagonus, stigmate emarginato, imberbi. *Stigma* hermaphroditis clavatum, bilabiatum: *lobis* crassis, brevibus, obtusis, apice subdilatatis, superficie minutè papillosis. *Achenia* turbinata, densè villosa. *Pappus* difformis; *periphæriæ* longus, eleganter plu-mosus, mollis, erectus: *radiis* simplici ordine copiosis (18—20) imâ basi connatis; *disci* setosus radiis plurimis (15—21) inæqualibus, subulatis, validis, recurvatis, hirsutis, vix plu-mosis, suprà planiusculis, imâ basi connatis, callosis.

Frutices (Amer. Æquin.) sæpiùs spinosi. Folia petiolata, integrifolia, mucronata, sæpè fasciculata. Spinæ (dum adsint folia esse mutata) geminæ, subulatæ. Flores solitarii sessiles v. plures terminales corymbosi, magni. Flosculi purpurei, sericeo-villosissimi. Pili receptaculi et achenii structurâ simillimâ, fulvi. Pappus fulvus.

* *Flosculis disci nonnullis, tubulosis. Filamentis in tubum connatis. Propriæ.*

1. B. *spinosa*, foliis obovatis mucronatis nervosis, involucris pubescentibus;

bescenibus ; squamis exterioribus ovatis acuminatis adpressis.

Barnadesia spinosa. *Linn. Suppl.* p. 348. *Lam. Ill. t. 660?*
Willd. Sp. Pl. 3. p. 1705. Humb. et Bonpl. Pl. Æqu. 2.
p. 176. t. 138. Kunth Syn. 2. p. 360.

In Andibus Novo-Granatensibus. *Mutis.* ½.

Frutex erectus, ramosus, rigidus, spinosus. *Rami* cylindrici, striati, leviter sulcati, glabriuscui, cortice purpureo induiti. *Ramuli* densè villosi. *Folia* fasciculata, petiolata, obovata, abruptè mucronata (mucrone setaceo, reflexo) integerrima, nervosa (nervis pluribus, arcuatis), parùm undulata, utrinque subvillosa, suprà viridia, demùm nudiuscula, subtùs pallidiora, basi attenuata, sesquipollicem longa, ferè pollicem lata. *Spinæ* patentes, aciculares, rigidæ, brunneæ, unciæ dimidium et ultra longæ, basi sejunctæ. *Capitula* subpaniculata. *Involucrum* oblongum, basi ventricosum, obtusum, copiosè fulvescenti-pubescentes, pollicare ; *squamis exterioribus* ovatis, acuminatis (acumine subulato, spinescenti), adpressis, callosis, integerrimis ; *intimis* linear-lanceolatis, mucronatis, elongatis, erectis, radiantibus. *Receptaculum* paleis capillaceis fulvis densè obsitum. *Flosculi peripheriae* numerosi, dupli ordine digesti, hermaphroditi, bilabiati : *tubo* cylindrico, lævi ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, quadrifido (laciniis lanceolato-linearibus, acutis), 5-nervio, subtùs densè fulvescenti-villoso, sericeo ; *interiore* minimo, simplici, setaceo, canaliculato ; *disci* 3, masculi, tubulosi, 5-fidi, coriacei, extùs villosissimi, imâ basi callosâ, genitalibus longè inclusis. *Filamenta* in tubum membranaceum connata. *Antheræ* coalitæ, basi simplices, muticæ, appendiculâ ligulatâ obtusâ callosâ apice incurvatâ coronatæ. *Stigma* bilobum : *lobis* crassis, obtusissimis, brevibus, dilatatis,

tatis, suprà concaviusculis, pruinosis. *Achenia* turbinata, fulvescenti-villosissima. *Pappus* fulvus, dissimilis; hermafroditis plumosus, mollissimus, radiis copiosis (20—25) basi connatis; masculis setosus, radiis 20, subulato-setaceis, recurvatis, hirsutis, basi callosis, connatis.

The above description is taken from the original sample preserved in the Linnæan herbarium, and which had been communicated to Linnæus by Mutis. The figure in the *Plantes Equinoxiales* is a good representation of this species; but I am in doubt respecting that of Lamarck, which appears to approach nearer to the following. It is most probable that *B. spinosa* is peculiar to New Granada, and that the Peruvian plant said to be the same, is really distinct, and that it belongs to one of the other species I have enumerated.

2. *B. media*, foliis obovatis mucronatis subaveniis, floribus corymboso-paniculatis, involucris lanatis; squamis exterioribus lanceolatis mucronatis.

In Peruviâ. Ruiz et Pavon. 5.

Frutex erectus, ramosus, spinosus. *Rami* undique cinereo-pubescentes. *Spinæ* subulatæ, graciles, semunciales, rectæ, divaricato-patentes. *Folia* fasciculata, brevissimè petiolata, obovata, mucronata, integerrima, plana, basi attenuata, utrinque subsericea, subtùs leviter canescentia, exsiccatione obsoletè venosa, pollicaria. *Flores* duplò minores, in ramulorum apice plures (8—10) corymboso-paniculati. *Pedunculi* uniflori, filiformes, tomentosi, unciales v. sesquiunciales. *Involucra* campanulata, longitudine vix uncialia, basi paululùm attenuata, folio unico sæpiùs bracteata: *squamis* fulvo-lanatis; *exterioribus* lanceolatis, pungenti-acuminatis, demùm reflexis, squarrosis; *intimis* elongatis, linearibus, mucronatis, radiatis, revolutis! *Flosculi* radii 15, ligulâ

ligulâ semipollicari, laciniis linearibus obtusis : *pappo* plumoso, mollissimo, radiis 18—20 erectis ; *disci* 3, infundibuliformes, limbo 5-fidi : *pappo* subulato, rigido, radiis 15, recurvatis, hirsutis, dimidio brevioribus. Cætera omnino ut in genere.

3. B. *reticulata*, foliis elliptico-oblongis abruptè mucronulatis reticulato-venosis subtùs sericeis, involucri squamis adpressis nudiusculis nitidis.

In segetibus Tarmæ Peruvianorum. *Ruiz et Pavon.* 5.

Frutex biorgyalis, erectus, ramosissimus, spinosus, cortice fusco.

Rami dependentes, teretes, glabriuscui, apicem versus levissimè puberuli. *Ramuli* nutantes. *Spinæ* semunciales, horizontaliter patentes, nec divaricatæ, fulvæ, nitidæ. *Folia* in fasciculis paucissima (3—6) raro subsolitaria, elliptico-oblonga, abruptè mucronulata, integerrima, plana, substantiâ tenuiora, ferè membranacea, suprà, nisi ad venas primarias, nudiuscula, subtùs sericea, nervis plurimis obliquè parallelis, venisque ramosissimis connexis reticulata. *Capitula* multò majora, 8—10 subcorymbosa, terminalia, breviter pedunculata. *Involucra* oblonga, basi ventricosa, rotundata, longitudine sesquipollicaria, v. paulò ultra : *squamis* siccitate fulvo-coloratis, nitidis ; *exterioribus* ellipticis, subsericeis, abruptè mucronulatis, adpressis ; *intimis* elongatis, erectis ! acuminatis, radiantibus. *Flosculi* villosissimi. Cætera ut in præcedente.

4. B. *lanceolata*, foliis obovato-lanceolatis mucronatis aeniis utrinque sericeo-pubescentibus, floribus subsolitariis sessilibus, involucris lanatis.

Bacasia lanceolata. *Ruiz et Pavon* *Mss.*

In Andibus Peruviæ. *Ruiz et Pavon.* 5.

Species

Species distinctissima. *Frutex ramosissimus*, rigidus, armatus.

Rami teretes, flexuosi, glabriuscui. *Ramuli foliiferi* tomentoso-pubentes, nunc pollicares, infernè de lapsu foliorum tuberculati. *Spinæ* ligneæ, validæ, subulatæ, divaricato-patentes, rectæ, rigidissimæ, ad basin ramulorum geminatim oppositæ, vicem stipularum fungendæ, unciales v. sesquiunciales. *Folia* alterna, conferta, quasi fasciculata, obovato-lanceolata, mucronata, integerima, plana, coriacea, utrinque avenia, pube ferrugineâ atomisque resinosis numerosissimis vestita, basi attenuata, petiolo ramis adnato suffulta, costâ mediâ conspicuâ; *adultiora* supra nudiuscula. *Capitula* subsolitaria, sessilia. *Involucra* sesquipollucaria: *squamis* extùs, sed præsertim in junioribus, copiosè fulvo-lanuginosis, mollissimis; *intimis* elongatis, strictis, radiantibus; *exterioribus* ovatis, acuminatis, demùm revolutis, squarrosis. *Flosculi radii* magis copiosi (20) longiores, ligulâ ferè pollicari, 6-nerviâ, tubo involucri vix longitudine, filiformi; *disci* 3, infundibuliformes, masculi, limbo 5-fidi. *Pappus periphæriæ* radiis (20) eleganter plu-mosis, erectis, mollissimis, validioribus; *disci* 18, validis, rigidis, recurvatis, subulatis, hirsutis, infernè crassioribus, imâ basi connatis. Cætera ut in genere.

** *Flosculo disci solitario, tubuloso. Filamentis in tubum con-natis.*

5. *B. corymbosa*, inermis; foliis sparsis ovato-lanceolatis acuminatis nervosis, floribus corymbosis, involucris pubescen-tibus.

Bacasia corymbosa. *Ruiz et Pavon Syst. Veg. Fl. Peruv.* 1. p. 189. *Gen. t. 22.*

In Andium nemoribus prope Muna vicum Peruviæ. *Ruiz et Pavon. h.*

Frutex

Frutex inermis, erectus, 2-orgyalis. *Rami* angulati, leviter sultati, calatum scriptorium crassitie adæquantes, cortice fusco-cinereo obducti, apicem versus fulvo-tomentosi. *Folia* sparsa, petiolata, ovato-lanceolata, acuminata, coriacea, rigida, margine callosa, integerrima, suprà glabra, lucida, subtùs villosa, basi attenuata, costâ mediâ subtùs prominenti, nervis plurimis incurvatis, reticulatim connexis, venosissima, sesqui- v. quadri-uncialia, tunc pollicem v. sesquipollicem lata. *Petoli* semiteretes, tomentosi, suprà canaliculati, semunciales. *Flores* terminales, numerosi (7—14) corymbosi, *Serratulæ coronatæ* magnitudine et facie similes. *Pedunculi* teretes, copiosè fulvo-tomentosi, semi- v. pollicares. *Involucrum* ovatum, multiplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum, basi ventricosum; *squamis exterioribus* ovatis, acuminatis, integerrimis, adpressis, cartilagineis, extùs pubescentibus; *intimis* elongatis, linearibus, mucronulatis, recurvato-patulis, radium efformantibus. *Receptaculum* paleis capillaceis fulvis tectum. *Flosculi periphæriæ* plures (8—10) hermafroditi, bilabiati, purpurei, ferè sesquipollicares; *labio exteriore* maximo, ligulato, patente, obtusè 4—5-dentato, subtùs tuboque sericeo-villosissimo, nervis tantùm primariis 5 v. 6, rectis, parallelis; *interiore* subsetaceo, canaliculato, indiviso; *disci* unicus, tubulosus, limbo 5-fidus, genitalibus longè inclusis (an sterilibus?) basi callosâ, extùs villosissimus: *lobis* ovato-oblongis, obtusis: *nervis primariis* validis, infra loborum sinus altè bipartitis; *secundariis* 2 interstinctis, parallelis, tantùm a basi ad medium et ultra manifestis, supernè obscurioribus, demùm evanescentibus, hinc reverà non recurrentibus. *Filamenta* in tubum membranaceum connata, intùs villosa, exserta, infernè tubo flosculi adhærentia. *Antheræ* connatæ, costâ dilatatâ, appendice lan-

ceolato-lineari, coriaceâ, rigidâ, apice uncinatâ, obtusâ, ipsâ antherâ quater breviori coronatæ, basi simplices, muticæ, ob valvulas basi in filamentis decurrentes. *Stylus hermaphroditis* filiformis, lœvis. *Stigma bilabiatum*: lobis crassis, obtusis, brevibus, suprà concaviusculis, pruinosis. *Achenia turbinata*, fulvescenti-villosissima. *Pappus* fulvus, dissimilis; flosculo centrali setosus, radiis 21 inæqualibus subulatis, validis, recurvatis, hirsutis, vix plumosis, basi connatis; cæteris duplò longior, eleganter plumbosus, mollis, radiis 20 circiter, tenuioribus, imâ basi conferruminatis.

*** *Flosculo disci solitario, tubuloso. Filamentis omnino liberis.*
Penthea.

6. B. *laxa*, spinosa; foliis . . . floribus subsolitariis sessilibus, involucri squamis intimis erectis radiatis.

In Brasiliâ. Sello. ♀.

Caulis fruticosus, spinosus, diffusè ramosissimus, laxus, cortice fusco obductus. *Rami* teretes, glabri, atrofusci. *Folia* nondùm vidi. *Spinæ* geminæ, aciculares, lœves, æquales, rigidæ, patulæ, basi distinctæ, semipollicares et ultra. *Flores* copiosi, in apice ramulorum subsolitarii, sessiles, in paniculam laxam dispositi. *Involucra* campanulata, sesqui v. bi-pollicaria: *squamis* ovatis, mucronulatis, adpressis, coriaceis, sericeis, demùm lœviusculis; *interioribus* gradatim longioribus, lanceolatis; *intimis* elongatis, linearibus, acuminatis, rectis, radiatis. *Receptaculum* cōpiosè villosum. *Flosculi* plurimi, hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* maximo, ligulato, obtusè tridentato, 5-nervio, subtùs sericeo-vilosissimo; *interiore* linearì-setaceo, binervio, breviore; *disci* solitarii, masculi, tubulosi, 5-dentati. *Filamenta* libera,

libera, complanata, glabra ; articulo superiore longo, substantiâ crassiore. Antheræ in tubum coalitæ, appendiculâ ligulatâ obtusâ callosâ rigidâ coronatæ, basi bidentatæ : dentibus brevissimis, setaceis. Stigma bilobum : lobis obtusis, minutè papillosum. Achenia undique sericeo-villosissima. Pappus difformis ; hermaphroditis plomosus, mollissimus ; flosculo disci setosùs, radiis subulato-setaceis, recurvatis, rigidis, basi connatis.

The character of *Bacasia* appears to have been constructed entirely from *B. corymbosa*, whose only point of distinction would consist in the reduced number of male florets, these being solitary in each capitulum, while in *Barnadesia* there are several ; but this must be admitted to be a character too unimportant to be regarded as sufficient to constitute a generic distinction. Ruiz and Pavon in their *Systema Vegetabilium Floræ Peruvianæ et Chilensis* added a second species to *Bacasia*, namely *B. spinosa*, but without altering the generic character previously given in their *Genera Plantarum*. It is evident they had not examined this plant with due attention, otherwise it would have been impossible for them to have determined in referring to *Bacasia* a plant which accords in so few particulars with their generic description, and which proves to be really a species of *Chuquiraga*. The *Diacantha* of Lagasca is apparently identical with *Barnadesia spinosa*, but by no means with the *Bacasia spinosa* of Ruiz and Pavon, which he has inadvertently regarded as the same plant. The central florets of *Barnadesia* have been hitherto described as sterile, but as the anthers evidently contain grains of perfect pollen, I have considered them as male.

CHUQUIRAGA. Juss.

JOHANNIA. Willd.

BACASIAE SP., Ruiz et Pavon.

Flosculi regulares, 5-partiti, hermaphroditi. *Pappus* uniformis.

Involucrum turbinato-campanulatum, multiplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum : *squamis* adpressis, cartilagineis, exteriori gradatim minoribus, costâ validâ apice in mucronem rigidum subulatum excurrente ; *intimis* elongatis, acuminatis, radium constituentibus. *Receptaculum* densè villoso-lanatum. *Flosculi* indefiniti, hermaphroditi, tubulosi, altè 5-partiti, villosi : *fauce* intùs densè barbatâ ! *segmentis* linearibus, strictis, apice penicillatis ! *nervis* marginalibus prominulis. *Stamina* disco epigyno inserta : *filamenta* complanata, libera, basi tubi corollæ adhærentia : *antheræ* in tubum connatæ, appendice linearis-ligulatâ cartilagineâ coronatæ, basi bisetæ v. bidentatæ. *Stigmata* linearis-lingulata, conniventia, papilloso-pruinosa. *Achenia* turbinata, undique villosissima. *Pappi* radiis copiosis, valde plumosis, infernè crassioribus, simplici ordine digestis, imâ basi connatis, apice simplici.

Frutices sempervirentes, erecti, rigidi, ramosissimi, inermes v. spinosi. Folia alterna, margine integerrima, callosa, pungentimucronata, coriacea, nitida ; aut omnino subulata, spinosa. Capitula terminalia, solitaria, sessilia, erecta, magna, v. plura paniculata. Involucra extùs fulvescenti-vilosissima, nunc glabriuscula : *squamis* luteo-coloratis. *Flosculi* aurei.

Obs.—Folia sapore amarissimo gaudent.

* *Capitulis*

* *Capitulis solitariis, sessilibus. Antheris basi bisetosis. Propriæ.*

1. *C. insignis*, inermis ; foliis imbricatis, setis antherarum æquilibus.

Chuquiraga insignis. Humb. et Bonpl. Pl. Æqu. 1. p. 153.

Lam. Ill. t. 691. Kunth in H. et B. Nov. Gen. et Sp. Pl. 4.

p. 18. Syn. 2. p. 361.

C. microphylla. Humb. et Bonpl. l. c. p. 151. t. 43. Kunth in H. et B. Nov. Gen. et Sp. Pl. 4. p. 19. Syn. 2. p. 361.

C. lancifolia. Humb. et Bonpl. l. c. p. 153. Kunth in H. et B. Nov. Gen. et Sp. Pl. 4. p. 19. Syn. 2. p. 361.

In Antisanâ Quitensium, et alpibus Peruvianis. *Jos. Jussieu, Humboldt et Bonpland. h.*

Frutex erectus, ramosus, rigidus, 5-pedalis. Rami teretes, a casu foliorum cortice scabro cicatricoso obducti. Ramuli adpressè copiosèque pilosi, demùm glabriuscui. Folia alterna, sessilia, confertissima, undique imbricata, ovata, integriforme, margine calloso, incrassato, mucrone brevi, recto, subulato, rigido, pungentia, avenia, substantiâ crassa, coriacea, suprà concava, subtùs costâ validâ carinata, utrinque viridia, perlucida, juventute villosiuscula, demùm nuda, et exsiccatione præsertim punctis minutissimis quasi resinosis notata, basi angustiora, 4—5 lineas longa, 2 lata. Capitula in ramulorum summitate solitaria, sessilia. Involucra turbinato-campanulata, multiplici ordine polyphylla, imbricata : squamis adpressis, cartilagineis, rigidis, fulvescenti-villosissimis, nervo percurrente apice exerto prominulo, subinde mucronatis ; exterioribus ovatis ; interioribus gradatim longioribus ; intimis lanceolato-linearibus, elongatis, acuminatis, erectis, radium constituentibus. Receptaculum densè villoso-lanatum, villis fulvescentibus. Flosculi numerosissimi (45—50), regulares, hermaphroditi, pollicares, profundè 5-partiti :

5-partiti: *tubo* pentagono, 5-nervio, substantiâ crassiore, extûs et intûs densè fulvo-villoso, limbo ter breviore: *segmentis* linearibus, villoso-plumosis, apice penicillatis, strictis, basi latiore planis, nervis marginalibus prominulis, margine supernè involutis: *villis* fulvis. *Stamina* disco epigyno cum corollâ inserta: *filamenta* linearia, angustissima, complanata, ferè membranacea, nervo manifestissimo, basi parùm latiore, imo tubo corollæ adhærentia: *antheræ* in tubum angustum coalitæ, longitudine 8-lineares, appendiculâ linearì-ligulatâ obtusâ antherâ ipsâ dimidio breviori cartilagineâ coronatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis* æqualibus, compressis, validis, sulco exaratis, 2 lineas longis, extremitate filamentosâ, spirali, retroflexâ. *Stylus* glaber, 5-angulus, basi in-crassatâ. *Stigmata* linearì-lingulata, obtusa, facie interiori canaliculata, cum superiore parte styli atomis resinosis copiosissimis ornata, conniventi-applicata. *Achenia* turbinata, undique fulvo-villosissima, hinc convexa, inde biangulata. *Pappi radiis* pluribus (20—24) valdè plumosis, inæqualibus, infernè crassioribus, simplici ordine digestis, imâ basi con-natis, apice simplici setaceo, brevi: *ramulis* persistentibus.

Obs.—Tabula Lamarckiana, errore pictoris, tubum antherarum pro corollâ exhibit.

I have, without hesitation, united the *Chuquiraga insignis* and *microphylla*, being fully persuaded that the characters relied on, as marks of distinction, are of too transitory a nature to justify the separation of two plants otherwise so much alike. In the Lambertian herbarium are two specimens of *C. insignis* from M. Bonpland himself, with the branches thickly clothed with short hairs, and the young leaves slightly villous, which circumstances are regarded by him as constituting the specific distinction of his *C. microphylla*; but, as the epidermis is deciduous,

ciduous, and the older branches consequently devoid of hairs, I have no doubt that these two presumed species, as well as the *C. lancifolia*, will be found to possess the same characters, and that they will prove to be only different states of the same plant, as M. Kunth has already suspected.

2. *C. spinosa*, armata ; foliis patulis, setis antherarum inaequalibus.

Bacasia spinosa. *Ruiz et Pavon Syst. Veg. Fl. Per. et Chil.* i. p. 188.

In Peruviæ subalpinis et præeruptis frigidis ad Huarocheri, Tarmæ et Cantæ provincias. *Ruiz et Pavon*. ½. Fl. Maio et Junio. *Vulgò Clavelon de Serranias*.

Frutex bipedalis, erectus, ramosissimus, spinosus, cortice fusco scabro obductus. *Ramuli* copiosè adpressèque pilosi. *Folia* alterna, sessilia, patentia, ovato-lanceolata, coriacea, plana, avenia, margine calloso integerrima, basi angustiori, spinâ subulatâ rectâ terminata, subtùs convexiuscula, costâ validâ carinata; juventute utrinque hirsutissima, sed denique omnino denudata, perlucida, atòmis resinosis conspersa; semipollucaria, 2—3 lineas lata. *Spinae propriæ* (folia mutata) axillares, plerumque geminæ, subulatæ, divaricato-patentes, sèpè foliorum longitudine. *Flores* in apice ramulorum solitarii, sessiles, minores quàm in præcedente. *Involucrum* turbinato-campanulatum, multiplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum, nunc pedunculo brevissimo undique squamoso suffultum : *squamis* adpressis, lanceolatis, spinuloso-mucronatis, pungentibus, sericeo-villo-sissimis (villis fulvescentibus); *interioribus* gradatim longioribus; *intimis* elongatis, erectis, subscariosis, radiatis. *Receptaculum* densè villoso-lanatum. *Flosculi* pauciores (15—20), regulares, hermaphroditi, minùs profundè 5-partiti : *segmentis*

segmentis lineari-ensatis, strictis, margine conniventibus, cartilagineis, apice acutis, intus canaliculatis, densè sericeo-villosissimis, penicillatis, denique glabratissimis: tubo cylindraceo, vix fauce dilatata, extus et intus copiosè sericeo-villoso, substantiâ crassiore, limbo ferè duplo breviore: nervis 5, in tubo simplicibus, ad laciniarum sinus divisis in ramis 2 strictis marginalibus, summo apice confluentibus; secundariis nullis. *Stamina disco epigyno cum corollâ inserta: filamenta libera, complanata, glabra, infernè ferè membranacea, nervo manifestissimo, canaliculata, basi dilatata, corollæ imo tubo adhaerentia; articulo superiore duplo angustiore, 5-plò breviore: antheræ in tubum connatae, 5 lineas longæ, appendiculâ lineari-ligulatâ obtusâ membranaceâ, ipsâ antherâ dimidio longiori coronatae, basi biseptosæ: setis callosis, strictis, inæqualibus, interiori latere leviter canaliculatis, extremitate filamentosâ, spirali, nunc retrofractâ v. revolutâ, deciduâ!* *Stylus filiformis, uncialis, v. ferè sesquiuncialis.* *Stigma bilobum: lobis lingulatis, obtusis, pruinosis, compressis.* *Achenia turbinata, undique adpressè villosissima.* *Pappus fulvus, deciduus: radiis 20 circiter, valde plumosis, inæqualibus, imâ basi in annulum connatis: rachibus setaceis, infernè gradatim crassioribus, apice tenuissimo, simplici.*

Such is the description of authentic specimens of *Bacasia spinosa* contained in the herbarium of Ruiz and Pavon, which will be found to correspond in every essential point of structure with the genus *Chuquiraga*. It is evident, as I have before observed, that this plant had been referred to *Bacasia* by the above-mentioned botanists from habit alone, without any regard to the structure of the flower, as the slightest examination would have convinced them of the incorrectness of that arrangement. Cavanilles seems

seems also to have been deceived with regard to the affinity of this plant, as appears by specimens from him in the Lambertian herbarium, marked “*Barnadesia ex Peruviâ*.”

** *Capitulis paniculatis. Antheris basi bidentatis: appendiculâ terminali, bilobâ. Erinesa.*

3. *C. hispida*, foliis elliptico-oblongis acuminatis subtus ramulisque setosis, spinis basi coadunatis, pedunculis armatis.

In Brasiliâ. Sello. ½.

Frutex diffusus, spinosus. Caulis teres, cortice cinereo-fusco, demum laeviusculo. Ramuli pilis setaceis persistentibus fuscis copiosè vestiti. Spinae geminæ, in ramulorum foliorumque axillis præcipue positæ; caulis erectæ, rigidæ, subulatæ, durissimæ, basi coadunatæ, sæpè setis ornatae, semunciam et ultra longæ; ramulorum brevissimæ, recurvatae. Folia alterna, brevissimè petiolata, elliptico-oblonga, acuminata, integerima, obsoletè triplinervia, reticulato-venosa, coriacea, suprà glabra, subtus hispidè pilosa, basi parùm attenuata, 3-pollicaria, unciam v. sesquiunciam lata. Petioli semicylindrici, hispidi, suprà canaliculati, vix 2 lineas longi. Flores terminales, plures, subpaniculati. Pedunculi breves, uniflori, undique copiosè fulvo-pilosæ, spinis solitariis geminisve reflexis, rectis, subulatis armati. Involucra semi-pollicaria, cylindrica: squamis ovatis, spinuloso-mucronatis, coriaceis, adpressis, margine ciliatis; intimis conniventibus. Receptaculum parvum, densè pilosum: pilis fulvis, brevibus. Flosculi 8—10, hermaphroditi, æqualiter tubulosi, coriacei: tubo intus villosissimo: limbo regulari, 5-partito: segmentis angustè linearibus, acutis, canaliculatis, binerviis, erectis, margine conniventibus, pube adpressâ fulvâ sericeis. Filamenta gracillima, glabra, infernè corollæ tubo adhærentia. Antheræ in tubum coalitæ, basi bidentatæ: dentibus æquâlibus,

libus, obtusis : *appendicula terminalis* brevis, ligulata, cartilaginea, emarginata ! *Stigma bilamelloso-partitum*, cum stylo apice minutè papillosum, scabriuscum : *lobis* planis, mucronulatis. *Achenia* undique villosissima, fulva. *Pappus* fulvus, mollissimus : *radiis* plumosis, apice mucronulatis, imâ basi crassioribus, nudis et connatis, simplici ordine digestis.

4. C. *latifolia*, foliis ovatis acutis trinerviis, spinis inæqualibus, floribus racemoso-corymbosis, involuci squamis intimis revolutis.

In Brasiliâ. Sello. ♂.

Frutex ramosus, spinosus. *Rami* cylindrici, leviter sulcati, cortice fusco-cinereo obducti. *Folia* alterna, petiolata, ovata, v. ovato-oblonga, acuta, integerrima, trinervia, reticulatim venosa, submembranacea, basi latâ rotundatâ, rarò parùm in petiolum decurrentia ; palmaria, ferè bipollicem lata, utrinque demùm glabrata ; *juniora* tamen cum ramulis novellis villis adpressis fulvescentibus subsericea. *Spinae* axillares, geminæ, inæquales, subulatæ, rigidæ, divaricatæ, sæpiùsque deflexæ, basi coadunatæ, trilineares ; altero breviore. *Petioli* brevissimi, semicylindrici, pubescentes, basi parùm dilatatâ ramis articulati. *Flores* in apice ramulorum copiosi, racemoso-corymbosi. *Pedunculi* uniflori, inermes, vix pollicares. *Involucra* semipollicaria, campanulata : *squamis* ovatis, mucronulatis, ciliatis, subcarinatis, coriaceis, adpressè imbricatis ; *intimis* elongatis, radium efformantibus, revolutis. *Receptaculum* magis dilatatum, copiosè pilosum. *Flosculi* indefiniti, omnes regulares, hermaphroditi, tubulosi, 5-partiti, coriacei, infernè vix attenuati : *segmentis* linearibus, acutis, æqualibus, canaliculatis, binerviis, apice barbatis : *fauce* intùs villosâ. *Stamina* brevissima, sub fauce inclusa : *filamenta*

filamenta capillaria, libera, glabra: *antheræ* appendiculâ linearî, membranaceâ, bifidâ! coronatæ, basi obtusè bidentatæ. *Stigma* bilamelloso-partitum: *lobis* ovalibus, obtusis, revolutis, cum apice styli minutissimè papilloso, scabriusculis. *Achenia* turbinata, undique fulvo-vilosissima. *Pappus* plumosus, fulvus: *radiis* simplici ordine digestis, imâ basi crassiore connatis.

5. *C. paniculata*, inermis; foliis elliptico-oblongis triplinerviis subtûs pubescentibus, floribus thyrsoides, involucri squamis intimis revolutis.

In Brasiliâ ad ripas fluminis La Plata. *Sello.* 2.

Caulis fruticosus, diffusè ramosissimus, inermis. *Rami* angulati, pubescentes. *Folia* alterna, petiolata, elliptico-oblonga, acuta, triplinervia, integerima, plana, suprà glabra, subtûs copiosè pubescentia, denique denudata, basi paululùm attenuata, 3—5-pollicaria, sesquipollicem lata. *Petioli* pubescentes, suprà planiusculi, semunciales. *Capitula* terminalia, copiosissima, thyrsideo-paniculata. *Pedunculi* angulati, fulvescenti-tomentosi. *Involucrum* tubulato-campanulatum, longitudine semipolllicare: *squamis* coriaceis, tomentosis; *exterioribus* ovatis, acutis, adpressis; *intimis* linearibus, mucronulatis, elongatis, revolutis. *Receptaculum* densè villosum. *Flosculi* 12 circiter, tubulosi, hermaproditi, limbo profundè 5-partiti: *segmentis* linearibus, acutis, apice barbatis, recurvis: *nervis* marginalibus: *tubo* pentagono; substantiâ crassiore, basi attenuato, intûs villoso-sissimo. *Stamina* tubo inclusa, brevia: *filamenta* angustè linearia, complanata, glabra: *antheræ* basi obtusè bidentatæ; appendiculâ membranaceâ, ligulatâ, bilobâ! coronatæ. *Stigma* exsertum, bilobum: *lobis* crassis, obtusis, pruinosis. *Achenia* turbinata, undique densè adpressèque pilosissima.

pilosissima. *Pappi radiis* 18, eleganter plumosis, simplici ordine digestis, imâ basi connatis, apice truncatis : *racibus* fulvis, infernè crassioribus : *ramulis* persistentibus, argenteis.

6. C. *vepreculata*, foliis ovato-lanceolatis acuminatis trinerviis, spinis falcatis basi coadunatis, floribus thyrsoideis, antherarum appendiculâ bicuspida.

Ad Caracas. *D. Fanning.* h.

Frutex more *Rubi* capreolatus, sæpè scandens, ramosissimus, spinosus. *Rami* teretes, sulcati, pubescentes. *Folia* alterna, petiolata, ovato-lanceolata, acuminata, trinervia, integerima, utrinque (præsertim in junioribus) villosa, demùm glabrata, suprà lucidula, basi subacuta, pollicaria v. bi-pollicaria. *Petoli* semicylindrici, densè villosi, basi ramis articulati, sesqui v. bilineam longi. *Spinæ* interpetiolares, brevissimæ, subulatæ, coadunatae, divaricatae, arcuatæ, rigidæ, fulvescentes, sesquilineares. *Flores* terminales, thyrsoidei. *Thyrsi* compositi, multiflori. *Pedunculi* brevissimi, teretes, validi, tomentosi, uniflori. *Involucra* oblonga, cylindrica, semuncialia : *squamis* ovato-lanceolatis, adpressis, coriaceis, tomentosis, spinâ rectâ brevi terminatis ; *intimis* linearibus, elongatis, radiantibus, nunc rariùs revolutis. *Receptaculum* pilis cinereis densè vestitum. *Flosculi* plures (18—20) uniformes, tubulosi, 5-fidi, hermaphroditi, albi : *tubo* attenuato, extùs et intùs villoso, 5-angulo, substantiâ coriaceo, fauci longitudine subæquali : *lacinii* linear-lanceolatis, obtusiusculis, erectis, villosis, nervis primariis marginalibus. *Stamina* basi tubi inserta : *filamenta* capillaria, glabra ; *articulo* superiore brevi : *antheræ* in tubum pentagonum coalitæ, basi acutè bidentatæ, appendiculâ membranacea bicuspida coronatæ. *Stylus* capillaris, 5-angulus.

angulus. *Stigma clavatum*, bilobum, pruinatum. *Achenia turbinata*, copiosa sericeo-villosa. *Pappus cinereus*: *radiis* 16 circiter, simplici ordine digestis, eleganter plumosis.

Specimens of this curious species of *Chuquiraga* formed part of a small but interesting collection of dried plants made in Caracas by Mr. Fanning, and which is now in the possession of Mr. Lambert. Mr. Fanning discovered it in the vicinity of Caracas, extending its feeble branches, like a bramble, for support over the other shrubs and trees in its neighbourhood, and frequently spreading to fifteen or even to thirty feet. Mr. Fanning has also brought to this country a valuable collection of seeds and living plants, among which is the famous Cow-tree, *Palo de Vaca*.

This section, which has entirely the habit of *Barnadesia*, constitutes a very remarkable osculant group connecting *Chuquiraga* with that genus. The species are evidently intimately allied, and although I have not ventured to separate them entirely from *Chuquiraga*, yet I am satisfied that they are sufficiently characteristic to merit being regarded as a distinct genus.

Trib. 9. STIFFTIEÆ. *Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi tubulosi, 5-partiti, regulares, hermaphroditi. Stamina fauci inserta! Antheræ basi bisetæ. Stigmata plerumque soluta, papillosa, recurva. Frutices foliis simplicibus.*

STIFFTIA. *Mikan.*

AUGUSTA. *Leand.*

PLAZIÆ SP., *Spreng.*

Stamina limbi sinubus inserta. Pappi radiis multiplici ordine digestis, cylindricis, undique scabris, apice incrassatis.

Involucrum subglobosum, polyphyllum, imbricatum: squamis obtusis,

obtusis, integerrimis, planis, coriaceis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* nudum, scrobiculatum. *Flosculi* infundibuliformes, regulares, hermaphroditi, infernè substantiâ coriacei, limbo altè 5-partiti: *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, spiraliter revolutis, nervis primariis prominulis marginatis; nunc primùm 2 v. 3 marginibus leviter connexis, tunc flosculum bilabiatum æmulantibus. *Stamina* inter corollæ lacinias inserta: *filamenta* e sinibus supernè libera, gracilia, glabra: *antheræ* coalitæ, basi longissimè biaristatæ, appendice lineari-subulata compressâ callosâ rigidâ coronatæ. *Stylus* filiformis, lævis. *Stigmata* soluta, linearia, recurva, papilloso-pruinosæ, acuta v. truncata. *Achenia* elongata, hinc convexa, inde angulata. *Pappus* longus, coloratus, persistens: *radiis* multiplici ordine digestis, cylindricis, undique denticulato-scabris, apice incrassato, hinc penicillatis.

Frutices frondosi, sempervirentes, speciosi. Folia alterna, simplicia, integerrima, uninervia, reticulato-venosa, glabra. Flores terminales solitarii v. paniculati. Pedunculi squamis obtusis ornati. Flosculi aurei v. rosei.

1. S. *chrysanthæ*, foliis lanceolatis acuminatis, floribus solitariis, flosculis indefinitis.

Stiftia chrysantha. *Mik. Bras.*

Augusta grandiflora. *Leand. in Act. Mon.* 7. t. 14.

Plazia brasiliensis. *Spreng. Syst.* 4. pars 2. p. 301.

Frutex biorgyalis, erectus, ramosissimus, frondosus, cortice lævissimo cinereo obducta. *Folia* (*Lecythidis*) alterna, petiolata, lanceolata, obtusè acuminata, integerrima, basi acutâ membranacea, nervo medio subtûs prominente, reticulato-venosissima, utrinque glaberrima, nitida, viridia, 4—6 unciæ longa, sesqui v. biunciam lata. *Petioli* brevissimi, teretiusculi, suprà leviter canaliculati, subtûs convexi, unguiculares.

guiculares. *Flos* speciosus, terminalis, solitarius, pedunculatus. *Pedunculus* teres, supernè incrassatus, undique squamis plurimis, ovalibus oblongisve; coriaceis, concavis, glabris munitus, uncialis. *Involucrum* globosum, sextuplici circiter serie imbricatum, ut et *pedunculus*, læve, magnitudine atque structurâ *Centaureæ majori* simillimum; *squamis* obtusissimis, integerrimis, coriaceis, adpressis, lævibus; exteriùs gradatim minoribus; *intimis* elongatis, ligulatis. *Receptaculum* depresso, nudum. *Flosculi* numerosissimi, hermaphroditici, infundibuliformes, longissimi, (biunciales): *tubo* basi coriaceo: *fauce* dilatata: *limbo* profundè 5-partito: *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, spiraliter revolutis, nervis primariis validis marginatis, 10 lineas longis; nunc primùm 2 v. 3 margine inter se connexis, tunc flosculum bilabiatum æmulantibus. *Stamina* inter limbi lacinias inserta: *filamenta* tubo corollæ omnino arctè adhærentia, e sinibus supernè tantùm libera, gracilia, glabra: *antheræ* pollicares, in tubum coalitæ, appendice lineari-lanceolatâ, acuminatâ, coriacea, rigidâ terminatæ, basi aristis 2 simplicibus, setaceo-attenuatis, longissimis (semipollicaribus) instructæ. *Stylus* longitudine staminum, filiformis, glaber. *Stigma* bilobum, exsertum: *lobis* semicylindricis, acutis; pruinosis, recurvis. *Achenia* angusta, pentagona, hinc convexiuscula; undique rugulosa, pubescens, semuncialia. *Pappus* longissimus (sesquiuncialis) persistens, croceus: *radiis* triplici v. quadruplici ordine digestis, setaceo-capillaribus, teretibus, rigidiusculis, undique puberulis, scabris, apice penicillato, mucronulato; *intimis* compressis.

Obs.—Hujus stirpis pulcherrimæ exempla quatuor a Langsdorffio et Sellovio communicata vidi.

2. *S. parviflora*,

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Augusta parviflora. *Leand. l. c.*

Plazia parviflora. *Spreng. Syst. 4. pars 2. p. 301.*

In Brasiliâ ad Campos Novos et ad Rio das Contas. *Martius. h.*

Frutex erectus, frondosus. *Rami* cylindrici, cortice cinereo lăevi obducti. *Folia* alterna, brevissimè petiolata, spathulato-oblonga, nunc raro lanceolata, integerrima, coriacea, uninervia, venis obscurioribus, utrinque glabra, viridia, basin versus attenuata, 5-pollicaria, unciam v. sesquiunciam latitudine æquantia. *Petioli* semicylindrici, glabri, suprà plani, 3 lineas longi. *Flores* parvi, copiosissimi, paniculati. *Panicula* terminalis, diffusa. *Pedunculi* teretes, glabri, apicem versus crassiores, squamis nonnullis ovalibus obtusis concavis muniti. *Involucra* globosa: *squamis* ovalibus, obtusissimis, concavis, membranaceis, lăevibus, tripli ordine imbricatis, adpressis; *intimis* oblongis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* definiti (12) hermaphroditi, infundibuliformes, basi coriacea, limbo 5-partiti: *segmentis* linearibus, acutis, glabris, revolutis. *Stamina* sinubus limbi inserta: *filamenta* e limbo supernè libera, capillaria, glabra, infernè nervis primariis longitudinaliter adnata! *antheræ* in tubum coalitæ, exsertæ, basi calcaribus 2 linearibus, acutis, complanatis, ipsâ antherâ 4-plo brevioribus ornatæ, appendice lanceolatâ mucronatâ coriacea rigidâ terminatæ. *Stylus* filiformis, glaber. *Stigma* bilobum: *lobis* lingulatis, truncatis, pruinosis, revolutis. *Achenia* angusta, hinc convexa, inde angulata, glabra, 3—4 lineas longa. *Pappus* capillaris, persistens, flavicans: *radiis* triplici circiter serie dispositis, inæqualibus, undique puberulis, apice penicillatis, semipollicem longis.

ANASTRAPHIA.

Stamina fauci corollæ inserta. *Pappi radiis* singulo ordine contiguis, complanatis, margine denticulatis, apice simplici.

Involucrum polyphyllum, campanulatum, basi ventricosum, multiplici serie imbricatum : *squamis* ovato-lanceolatis, acuminate, adpressis, cartilagineis; *intimis* linear-i-lanceolatis, tantum acutis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* numerosissimi, hermaphroditi, tubulosi : *tubo* æquali, angulato, coriaceo : *limbo* profunde 5-partito : *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, revolutis, glabris. *Stamina* fauci infra laciniarum sinum inserta : *filamenta* supernè libera, capillaria, glabra : *antheræ* in tubum coalitæ, basi aristis 2, simplicibus, laevibus, ipsius antheræ longitudine munitæ, appendice linear-i-subulatâ apice inflexâ terminatæ. *Stylus* filiformis, glaber. *Stigma* exsertum, clavatum, emarginatum, pruinosum. *Achenia* linearia, ancipiti-compressa, sericeo-villosa. *Pappus* capillaris, persistens : *radiis* singulo ordine contiguis, basi solutis, apice simplici setaceo complanatis, margine denticulatis.

Frutex ramosus, rigidus, sempervirens, cortice cinereo. Rami teretes, pube brevissimâ cinereâ obruti, de lapsu foliorum tuberculati. Folia omnino Querci Ilicis, alterna, petiolata, elliptica, margine spinoso-dentata, subreflexa, ac undulata, coriacea, basi truncatâ v. acutâ, suprà nuda, viridia, lucida, subtùs tomento brevissimo albo flocculoso densè vestita, exsiccatione venosissima, costâ venisque prominentibus, 2-pollicaria, vix ultra pollicem lata. Involucrum campanulatum, extùs tomento flocculoso, brevissimo, cinereo vestitum, bipollicare, diametro unciale. Flosculi purpurei, involucro longiores. Antheræ semiexsertæ, albæ. Pappus vix uncialis, sordidè cinereus.

Nomen ab *αναστραφεις* revolutus, atque ad limbum flosculi revolutum refert.

1. A. *ilicifolia*.

In Americâ Meridionali. Joannes Fraser. h.

From the preceding, *Anastraphia* is readily distinguished by the insertion of its stamens and by the structure of its pappus, the rays of which are disposed in a single series. The specimen in the Lambertian herbarium was received from the late Mr. Fraser, but in what part of South America it was collected is not known.

PENTAPHORUS.

Stamina limbi sinubus inserta. *Pappi* *radiis* setaceo-complanatis, serrulatis, multiplici ordine collocatis. *Involucrum* 5-florum, cylindricum, connivens.

Involucrum oblongum, cylindraceum, polyphyllum, imbricatum: *squamis* lanceolatis, acuminatis, coriaceis, adpressis, lanuginosis; *interioribus* conniventibus. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* 5, tubulosi, hermaphroditi, basin versus sensim angustati, limbo 5-partiti: *segmentis* linearibus, apice crassiore obtusis, revolutis. *Stamina* intra limbi lacinias inserta: *filamenta* tantùm è sinubus supernè libera, capillaria, glabra: *antheræ* in tubum coalitæ, basi bicalcaratæ (calcaribus linearibus, complanatis, acutis), appendice lanceolatâ, mucronatâ (mucrone tenui, elongato), coriacea, rigidâ coronatae. *Stylus* filiformis, glaber. *Stigma* bilobum: *lobis* lingulatis, pruinosis, recurvis. *Achenia* trigona, densè villosa. *Pappus* persistens: *radiis* setaceis, complanatis, tenuissimè serrulatis, mucronulatis, inæqualibus, multiplici ordine collocatis; *intimis* latioribus.

Frutex procumbens? ramosissimus, diffusus. Rami teretes, cortice lœvi, fusco vestiti. Ramuli floriferi conferti, brevissimi, foliosi, pubescentes, semunciales. Folia alterna, sessilia, vix illa Buxi magnitudine adæquantia, obovata, mucronulata, integrerrima,

tegerrima, coriacea, basi attenuata, utrinque punctis parùm elevatis, resinosis, et pube brevissimâ cinereâ copiosè instructa, subtùs obsoletè trinervia. Flores in apice ramulorum sœpiùs 5, rariùs 3 v. 7, brevissimè pedicellati. Involucrum semipollicis longitudine. Flosculi purpurei. Pappus cinereus.

Nomen e vocibus græcis πεντε quinque, et φερω porto, compositum.

Genus a præcedente distinctissimum pappi radiis multiplici ordine dispositis, atque involucro connivente, 5-floro, undè nomen.

1. *P. foliolosus.*

In Chili. *Caldcleugh.* 5.

ADDITIONS AND CORRECTIONS.

After *TRIXIS corymbosa*, p. 188, insert the three following Species.

T. glabra, foliis petiolatis ovato-oblongis mucronulatis integerimis glabris, paniculâ foliosâ.

In Mexico prope Laguna Verde. *Schiede et Deppe.* 5.
Floret Martio.

Caulis fruticosus, ramosissimus, laevis. Rami diffusi, cylindrici, glabri. Folia alterna, petiolata, ovato-oblonga, mucronulata, integerrima, membranacea, utrinque glaberrima, subtùs reticulata, basi rotundata, sesquiuncialia. Panicula foliosa, multiflora. Bracteolæ subsolitariae, lineares, acutæ, involucro duplò breviores. Involucrum 8-phylum: foliolis linearibus, acutis, pubescentibus, erectis, simplici serie digestis.